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NEWTON.

—Mr. F. G. Barnes and family are at the Isle of Shoals.

—Mrs. N. B. Tupper is registered at the Bay View, Laconia, N. H.

—Mr. W. R. Davis is at the Lenwood, Pigeon Cove.

—Mrs. F. A. Wetherbee is at the Crescent Beach House, Magnolia.

—Miss Daniell has returned from her vacation at the Thousand Islands.

—A handsome lamp with three burners surmounts the new watering trough in Nonantum Square.

—The caucuses to elect delegates to the state convention will probably be held week after next.

—W. H. Barker and G. C. Scales have returned from a two weeks sojourn at Bar Harbor, Me.

—Rev. Dr. Webb will preach on Sunday at the Eliot Church, and he will also preach on the succeeding Sundays of the month.

—Mr. James McKinnon has gone to visit his old home at East Bay, Cape Breton, after an absence of ten years.

—Rev. Mr. Titus is home from his summer vacation, and will preach at the Baptist Church next Sunday.

—Mr. C. A. Drew and Mr. C. E. Eddy with their families, and Mrs. L. M. Cobb, returned Tuesday from their visit to the White Mountains.

—The widening and improvements on Waverley avenue were completed this week, and the department kept within the appropriation of \$3000.

—Six candidates were initiated into Waban lodge, I. O. O. F., Thursday evening, and the lodge promises to be one of the largest in the order.

—The public schools of this city will open a week from Monday, and next week will probably see most of the summer absentees at home again.

—Last Sunday James Eagan of Nonantum, 16 years of age, broke both bones of his right leg, midway between the ankle and knee. He was taken to the Cottage Hospital.

—Mrs. Dr. Shinn and family have returned from their summer residence at Hubbardston. Dr. Shinn is expected home from Europe any day after September 5th. He returns by way of Quebec.

—Judging from the daily arrival of trunks at the Newton depot, the tide of travel has set homeward with a rush. The hacks and expressmen have had a busy time this week.

—Mr. Chas. F. Rand succeeded in completing the building he was erecting for Mr. William L. Stiles, in the rear of the Lancaster block, inside of the 13 days named in the contract, and the keys were given to Mr. Stiles on Wednesday.

—The Boston & Albany railroad is considering the practicability of a plan for lighting all its cars by gas. The plan contemplates the equipment of the cars with storage reservoirs, which will be filled with gas at regular intervals.

—The important announcement is just made that Mr. Carlyle Petersilea has accepted an appointment as teacher of the pianoforte in the New England Conservatory of Music, and the familiar sign of the "Petersilea Academy of Music," on Columbus avenue, Boston, will permanently disappear.

—It having become incumbent upon Judge William Allen of Northampton, Mass., to hold the summer term of the supreme court, he has availed himself of a summer residence in our beautiful city, and has rented for himself and family a residence on Mt. Ida.

—E. B. Blackwell, Custom Shirt Maker, School street, Newton, makes excellent shirts for \$1.50. Finest dress shirts \$2. If not convenient to call at his office, notice by postal will secure a prompt call at your residence or place of business.

—Rev. Amory D. Mayo, of Boston, will preach at the Channing Church next Sunday morning. Communion immediately after the service.

—The improvements at the Underwood School house are completed, and Councilman Kennedy, who has them in charge, has had the work performed in the most thorough manner, so that hereafter there can be no complaints in regard to the building. The new ventilating apparatus is the best of its kind, new floors have been put in through the building, the sanitary arrangements thoroughly overhauled, and the latest improvements put in. The cellar floor has been cemented, the walls whitewashed, and a new furnace put up. The building has been repainted outside, and the inner woodwork stained

and the walls whitened. The Underwood School will hereafter be a credit to the city.

—Mr. W. H. Capen has taken possession of his handsome residence on Park street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Hall sailed Thursday from Bremen for home.

—A new fence has been built around the Eliot School lot on Pearl street.

—Judge and Mrs. Gardner have been spending the month of August at Poland Springs, Me.

—Mr. S. M. Sayford has been chosen one of the executive committee of the Crescent Beach Bible Conference.

—Mr. George S. Priest has taken possession of his house on Vernon street, recently purchased from Mr. George F. Wood.

—Fair peaches are being sold by street peddlers at one dollar a basket. They seem to find ready sale.

—Miss Maggie Converse has been spending her vacation at the Profile House, White Mountains.

—Councilman J. W. French and family returned this week from their visit to Osterville.

—The board of aldermen will hold their first meeting after the summer vacation, next Monday evening.

—Mr. A. W. B. Huff has moved into his handsome new house on the corner of Park and Elmwood street.

—Mr. Chas. E. Lord will take possession of his new house on Park street next month, as the work on it is now nearly completed.

—Mr. E. W. Cate returned Thursday to the Hotel Hunnewell from his vacation in New Hampshire. Mrs. Cate will return on Saturday.

—The foundation walls for the addition to the public library are nearly completed, and next week work will begin on the first story.

—No improvement is reported in the case of Mr. George S. Trowbridge, whose serious illness has caused much regret among all his friends.

—The guests at Hotel Hunnewell have a picnic at Camp Lincoln, Fairhaven, on Saturday, driving up there with a four horse team.

—Alderman Powers and wife returned Monday from their trip to the Thousand Islands. They visited Montreal, Quebec, the Saguenay River, and the White Mountains.

—The wire from the Boston fire alarm district that has been run to the house of Engine Company No. 1, is found to be a great convenience for Newton men owning property or doing business in Boston.

—There is a movement on foot by a New York gentleman to erect an apartment hotel on land near the residence of Mr. Bowman in Ward 7. It is said that several Newton gentlemen are interested in the project.

—The yacht Mabel has returned from the Vineyard with Messrs. Geo. E. F. Donkin, E. O. Childs, and T. R. Brooks. They had a very pleasant cruise and have entered the yacht in the first class of the Beverly yacht races, which come off Saturday, Sept. 4.

—John McCabe, a painter for John O. Evans' Sons, fell from a building on Otis street, Newtonville, Wednesday, a distance of 25 feet. He was stunned by the fall and Dr. Hunt was summoned, but fortunately no bones were broken, and he will be all right again in a few days.

—The many improvements that are being made along the Boston & Albany road make it the pleasantest route out of Boston. If the road keeps on, it will have a flower bed on each side all the way, as gorgeous as the beds of petunias at the Allston repair shops.

—A good deal of attention is attracted to a plant of the gourd family growing in the garden of Mr. George Leonard. Nine days ago the plant was in flower, and now the fruit measures 38 inches in length and 4 inches in diameter. It grows from 4 to 6 inches a day.

—Mr. C. B. Lancaster received first prize for Coolidge's Favorite peaches at last Saturday's Horticultural Hall exhibition. Mr. C. N. Brackett received a gratuity for his display of apples and pears, and an award for beans, peppers, corn and tomatoes.

—The Rev. H. G. Spaulding of Newton, upon invitation, conducted divine service last Sunday at the Oak Hill House, Littleton, N. H., being assisted by eminent musical talent from Brooklyn and Springfield. The many guests who thronged the parlors of the hotel will long remember this service and especially the discourse, in which the reverend gentleman laid under devout contribution his stores of varied learning, and made frequent and appropri-

ate allusion to the beauties of scenery amidst which his hearers are finding both rest and inspiration.

—Mrs. Frankland has secured Dr. Hitchcock's house on Center street, for boarders.

—Rev. Langdon Ward of Bridgewater will officiate at Grace Church on Sunday.

—Mr. James Grady is building a two tenement house on Nonantum street, on land recently purchased from Mr. Lyford.

—Mr. J. C. Ivy left on Thursday for a ten day's hunting trip, in the vicinity of Chocoma, N. H.

—A large number of desirable lots are to be sold at auction next Thursday by Atwood & Weld.

—Dr. A. B. Jewel has returned from his summer residence at Hampton Beach, N. H., but Mrs. Jewel will remain there for some weeks longer.

—General A. B. Underwood of this city was one of the pallbearers at the funeral of General Gordon at Framingham on Thursday.

—A large number seem to have the amateur photographic fever, and A. A. Glines is kept busy giving instructions to beginners, and doing work for them.

—Mr. William Kent, the city engineer, will take his 17 1-2 ton tricycle over to Quincy Saturday, for a short vacation on the Quincy roads. That town is to be congratulated.

—Mr. John E. Olcott, a respected citizen of Waltham, died suddenly Tuesday at his summer residence at Oakdale. He was killed by falling from the hay loft of his barn. Mr. Olcott was a former resident of Newton, and a prominent member of the Methodist Church.

—John Redmond, a painter who boards at Mrs. Cutler's, and is employed by C. A. Hill, fell from a ladder at the Pierce School House, West Newton, this (Friday) morning, and was severely injured. It is thought that no bones were broken, but his face was severely bruised and he received internal injuries. He was taken to the Cottage Hospital.

—Agents for the Newton Directory have begun canvassing the suburbs of the city, but the principal centers of population will not be visited for a month or two. It is intended to have the directory as near perfection as possible, but so many new residents have moved in that the work will be a difficult one.

—Waban Lodge, I. O. O. F., have decided not to unite with the Waltham lodge, at the meeting of the Grand Lodge in Boston on the 22d, but will parade as an independent organization. It is hoped that as many of the members as can will be present on that occasion, and members of other lodges in Newton are invited to unite with them.

—Mr. George E. Donkin, Dr. E. B. Hitchcock, Messrs. E. O. Childs, F. R. Brook, and the Misses Donkin have returned from their yachting tour in the yacht Mabel. They visited Plymouth, Nantucket, and the Vineyard, and had an enjoyable time in spite of the heavy weather that prevailed during their two weeks trip. The yacht has been entered in the first class of the Beverly yacht races, on Saturday, Sept. 4.

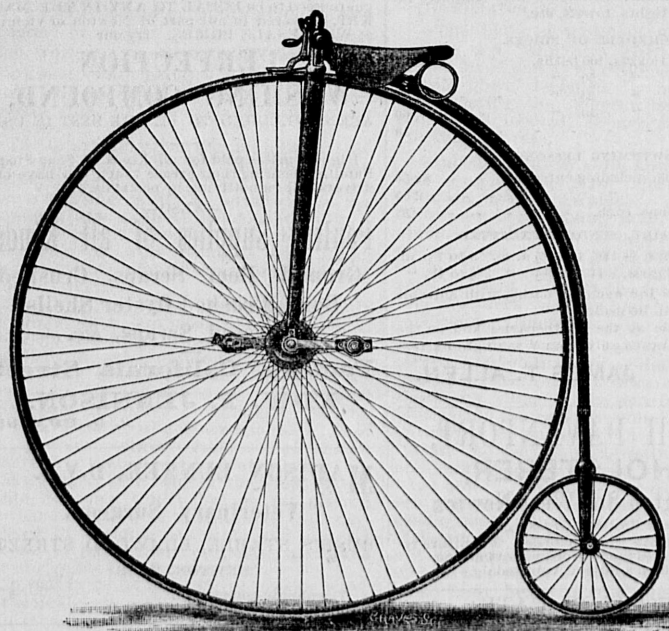
—Rev. C. S. Davis, Pastor of the People's Church, Boston, made a capital address to young men at the 4 o'clock p. m. open meeting last Sunday. He pictured out the consequences of wrong doing to themselves, and to others over whom they have influence. Sewing "wild oats," was followed by reaping what they sowed, and forever after they would be at a disadvantage in the race of life, and the work of rising to high attainments in moral excellence. Others who follow their evil example may not reform when they wish to on account of weakness of will, but may continue on to destruction. Parents also transmit bad qualities to their children, who will suffer for their parents' sins. God will help all who desire to break off sinning, and begin a new life. Next Sunday Mr. Hugh Campbell will conduct a Praise service at 4 p. m. Quartette and chorus singing will be added to the singing by the whole congregation of familiar hymns.

Auction Sale of Real Estate.

Messrs. Atwood & Weld seem to have charge of all the important auction sales of real estate in this vicinity, and they have another next Thursday, at 3 p. m., when a large number of lots on Hunnewell avenue will be disposed of. This is one of the most desirable sections of the city for residences, and as a movement is on foot to have the avenue widened and made a public street, the lots will be very desirable for residences. Full particulars are given in the advertisement in another column.

Real Estate.

James F. C. Hyde calls the attention of parties desiring to sell real estate in any part of Newton to his facilities for disposing of the same, either at auction or at private sale. He also takes charge of leasing property, and can be consulted at his office, 31 Milk street.



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Good evening, neighbor Holdfast. Anything of interest in your line? You are always pulling up things, and shaking them, to see what have roots, and what were merely stuck in the ground.

"Well, it is easy to believe one half of what you read, but which half? I was thinking while sitting out here, of one of the subjects touched upon in our last interview. I notice, in a French journal, that a certain physician gives his professional opinion that all anarchists, communists, and advocates of the destruction of government and the distribution of property, chaos first and then cosmos, as they put it, are simply demented. He recalls the fact that of the Paris conspirators in 1871, four of the leaders were found to be hereditary lunatics, and four others had been previously under medical treatment for insanity, while about two thousand of the rabble were deranged and had to be placed under treatment for a year.

Revolutions occur chiefly in warm weather, and out of two hundred popular outbreaks in Europe, the summer averaged three times as many as the cooler seasons. He says all extravagant social theories are almost synonymous with dementia."

I am inclined to think he is correct, and that conservatism is the true middle-ground of safety. Yet it might prove too much in this latitude. The New England brain is not above suspicion in some certain directions.

"New England has been at times, and is now, in certain directions, the brain of the Republic, and liable to cerebro-spinal meningitis,—but her head is level on social science and political economy. I have been much interested in a recent work by Andrew Carnegie, entitled 'Fifty years march of the Republic,' and wishing that I might place an abridgement of it in the hands of every Knight of Labor in this country."

Couldn't you give me some of his points in a nutshell? For nothing could be more timely. The public mind is receptive and desires enlightenment.

"He says, the Republic may not bestow wealth and happiness,—she has not promised these. It is the liberty to pursue them which the Declaration of Independence claims and guarantees."

How is that on strikes, riots and boycotting, as a pursuit of wealth and happiness? Time lost to a workingman is money lost. The sands of the hour-glass are so much gold-dust running out to waste. How much can a laboring man spare, and have any wealth and happiness left?

"The people are not levelled down, but up, to the full dignity of equal citizenship, beyond which no man can go in America. There are no ranks, titles, or hereditary dignities. One man's right is every man's right. This dedication is worthy of notice, coming as it evidently does from the heart."

"To the beloved Republic under whose equal laws I am made the peer of every man, although denied political equality in my native land, I dedicate this book, with an intensity of gratitude and admiration, which the native born citizen can neither feel nor understand."

He writes for both sides of the water, and says America leads the civilized world, in population, in wealth, in annual savings, in public credit, in payment of debts, in agriculture, in manufactures, in mining, etc. America has the smallest proportion of illiterates, and the largest proportion of those who can read and write. It spends less on war, and most upon education,—has the smallest proportional army and navy of any first-class power on earth. It has the ideal second chamber, the most august tribunal in the world, the American Senate."

Stay! these are items enough to attract all the communists in Europe and Asia over here, for an equal division of property.

"We have not finished the inventory of Uncle Sam's assets. France requires 160 years to grow two Frenchmen where one grew before. Great Britain, whose rate of increase exceeds that of any other European nation, takes 70 years to double her population. The Republic has repeatedly doubled hers in 25 years."

The fifty millions in America, in 1880, could have bought up the one hundred and forty millions of Prussians, Austrians and Spaniards. The Yankee could even buy the home of his ancestors, and keep it as a pretty little Isle of Wight. The regular army is only a police force,—but twenty-five years ago, at the blast of a trumpet, she called into action two millions of armed men, and floated six hundred and twenty-six war ships."

Of more importance is the number of schools and colleges, libraries, newspapers and other periodicals. In the application of science to the social and industrial arts, America is far in advance of other nations. No other people have ever devised so many labor-saving appliances. The first commercially successful steamboat navigated the Hudson. The first steamship to cross the Atlantic sailed under the American flag from an American port. She gave to the world the cotton-gin, and the first practical mowing and reaping machines. She takes the lead in electric, telephonic and illuminating.

Now for the causes which have led to this rapid aggrandizement of the latest of the family of nations, a subject profoundly interesting to the whole human race. The most important factors are:

1st. The ethnic character of the people they sprung from.

2d. The topographical and climatic conditions under which they have been developed.

3d. The influence of political institutions founded upon the equality of the citizen.

In regard to the first, America was fortunate in the seed planted. America is still four-fifths British. The second relates to the shape and conformation of the continent, with the mountain ranges on each coast leaving a central basin."

That is an idea worthy of a volume by itself. Those five great inland seas with their outlet to the ocean,—the Mississippi with its immense tributaries and a common outlet to the gulf! A river you know is a road that travels, with gravitation for a motor. Truly this was planned in the geological laws for not only a great country, but one to be now and forever one and inseparable.

"Yes, and the indivisible unity of the nation is still further promoted by the character of its fundamental institutions. The free common school fuses, as in a crucible, the children of all foreigners. There is no class so intensely patriotic as the naturalized citizen and his offspring, for they only can know the full meaning of American privileges."

The historian Fronde says of America: 'A great nation makes great men. A citizen of an imperial power expands to the scope and fullness of the larger factor. Behind each American citizen, America is standing, and he knows it, and is treated accordingly. The Anglo-Americans united command the respectful fear of all mankind.'

We will add all this testimony from outsiders, as a tail-piece to our discourse on the present labor agitations."

You have omitted a prime and potent factor in our development, both as a nation and as a confederation. It is the Atlantic Ocean on one side and the Pacific on the other. Nature has sheltered us from enemies, and left us to cultivate the arts of peace, and grow rich and populous, with the opportunity to grow wise if we will. Recent events show the need of senatorial wisdom, where the sober second thought of the people may be exercised with supreme control. It is a great mistake for America to copy Father John, and make herself hated by all her weaker neighbors.

Mexico is not so helpless as appears at first sight. Being an independent nation she can, and most assuredly she would, make alliances with some of the European monarchies. Who can foresee what might happen in such an event? Perhaps our Southern fire-eaters have never thought of this. The bigger we are, the more of a menace our very existence is to all monarchies. They watch day and night for our halting, and would rejoice with a joy they have not known for over a century, could "America be added to the catalogue of republics the inscription on whose monuments is—they were, but they are not."

The masses of the people, so far as they are informed, are with us; but the privileged classes, inheritors of the old feudal systems, regard political equality very much as an ex-slaveholder does the same principle applied to the colored population. Hence we may count always upon the secret and ceaseless hostility of every hereditary monarch and noble throughout Europe.

"Knowing this to be so, it becomes us to walk circumspectly. Righteousness exalteth a great nation as well as it does a little one. The magnanimity shown at the close of the late civil contest, placed America in the front rank of civilization. Arbitration of international disputes sends a thrill through all Christendom, somewhat akin to the joy in heaven over one sinner that repenteth."

Every right-minded American should blush with shame at the mention or even the thought of bullying the dark-browed Mexican. It is gratifying to see the opinion of David A. Wells, who is high authority on the subject, that the Government and the people of the United States should do all that can be asked, to dispel the idea or suspicion that now prevails throughout Mexico and all Central America, that the North Americans intend to take possession of all these countries and destroy their nationality."

Why should Christian nations leave one arm unbaptized so they can pull a trigger or brandish a sword at their enemies? Sumner spoke of the twin barbarisms of slavery and polygamy. He might have added war, and made a triplet. The American Peace Society Journal furnishes a recent article which has my warmest sympathy. The writer says: "I have no quarrel with some of the results of the late war. But there stands out one big and bloody fact, it takes only three letters to spell it, but every letter is red with a brother's blood shed by a brother. It crieth from the ground. We agreed to fight, to wound, to devastate, destroy, waste, starve, imprison, and in a thousand ways to kill. It was brutal, cruel, fiendish. What could we do? Do? why we could have reasoned, persuaded, argued, prayed, loved, suffered, forborne, bought the slaves, and covenanted to maintain the Union. We went on and killed each other, till worn out with killing and being killed, we were forced to reconciliation by the same means that we believed ineffectual, till we were tired of killing. What did we demonstrate? The folly, futility and wickedness of war."

"It may be generally assumed, that where any strife is kindling, somebody is there blowing up the flames of discord to boil his own pot. It was so in the war with Mexico (of shameful memory), and in the late civil war. May the latest ever be the last."

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" " " 25 " "	1 25
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The fervid air, a knife of sound,
As August comes with poppy leaves
Around his swarthy temples bound.
—Through the Year with the Poets.

[Written for the Graphic.]

Strikes--Boycotts.

By JUDGE JOHN C. PARK.

Articles have appeared in some of our papers, purporting to state an opinion of a distinguished lawyer of Massachusetts, which present that opinion in a form which might mislead readers. A more extended statement of the present state of the law may be useful.

We speak of the "Common law;" we say of some proceeding that it is an offence against the common law. What is the common law? All the laws of England, and all the decisions of the English Courts, up to the time of our organization as a Commonwealth, constitute what we call the Common Law, and this continues to be the law of Massachusetts, except so far as it has been modified, altered or abrogated by our Legislature, or overruled by our Supreme Court.

Having this in view, it becomes important to ascertain what was and is the Common Law in relation to strikes. We find it in the 6 Term Reports, 636, laid down thus: "Certain it is that there are many cases in which the act in itself would not be cognizable by law, if done by a single person, becomes the subject of indictment when effected by several with joint designs. This is the case of workmen refusing to proceed unless they receive an advance of wages; it is clear that any one of them might act singly on this determination, but it is criminal when it follows from a plan preconcerted among many."

This is now English law, and would be held to be law in Massachusetts, unless it has been modified, altered or abrogated by our Legislatures, which it certainly has not been. Then the question arises, has it been overruled in our Courts.

The case of Commonwealth vs. Hunt 4, Metcalf 111, decided in 1842, bears upon this matter. The indictment set forth fully the facts which were each supposed to constitute the offence, and these facts were each and all proved. They are so nearly alike the strikes of the present day that it may be well to state them in full. It alleged "that the defendants being journeymen bootmakers, unlawfully confederated and formed themselves into a club, and agreed together, not to work for any master bootmaker or other person, who should employ any journeyman or other workman who should not be a member of said club, after notice given to said master or other person to discharge said workman; or should not discharge a workman, who being a member of said club, had neglected to pay the sums due to said club, or had violated any of their by-laws."

The Court held that the indictment did not contain a sufficient averment of any unlawful purpose or means, and this decision certainly militates adversely to the Common Law as above mentioned. But it will be observed that all that the defendants had done or were charged with doing were acts unaccompanied by force, violence, and intimidation.

The law always will take notice not only of illegal acts, but also of legal acts, if done in an illegal way. Judge Shaw's carefully prepared opinion affords no sanction to any confederate act, which is attended by force, violence or intimidation; nor would it justify or shield those who by insult, abuse or violence should attempt to prevent others from employment, where they themselves had left work.

It appears then that a decision of our State Supreme Court has so far altered the Common Law as to authorize confederations to employ peaceable and orderly means to effect their purposes, and thus far abrogates the Common Law.

In fact it would be difficult to see why, if the dealers in coal or oysters for instance, can act in concert together, at times to raise the price of their commodities, the possessors of brawny arms, or skilled hands, should not have the same right to agree and confederate to raise the price of their services, provided it is attempted to be accomplished by peaceable and orderly means.

And now a few words in reference to a course of procedure, which is now rife among us, and which for want of a better, has assumed the name of the "Boycott."

In some states criminal proceedings have been instituted against persons who have confederated themselves in such action. But in this State it might be a difficult matter to procure a conviction for a Boycotting confederacy, if carried on peaceably and orderly.

Such combinations are no novelty in parts of the United States. The history of Maryland shows us that upwards of one hundred and twenty years ago the Boycott was effectually used, and supported by the whole community, notwithstanding the efforts of Robert Eden, who was then Governor. The following quotation from W. H. Browne's History of that Province, (then a Palatine), published in 1884, is interesting on this point.

"The agreement of the Maryland Associates distinctly states that they are not only moved by a desire to discourage the use of foreign luxuries, and superfluities in the interest of frugality, but also that the taxes imposed are contrary to the spirit

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"These associations were spread throughout the country, and they did not confine themselves to words. They watched diligently for the arrival of any forbidden goods, and saw that they were reshipped to England. In one case, a vessel was sent back with all her cargo."

The above passage describes a Boycott of large proportions, but it must be remembered that this was aimed not against the action of individuals or private corporations, but against the Government. It was a political movement, and was not aimed at a mere social grievance. It was one of the throes preceding the partition of this great Republic.

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LEGISLATIVE INEFFICIENCY.

This subject is discussed in the September Century, and a consideration of the causes and remedies is especially timely now that nominations for Congress and the State legislature are soon to be made. A Century correspondent writes a rather savage letter in regard to the lower branch of Congress, whose inefficiency, he says, has become chronic, and the cause of the evil he finds in the class of men who are sent to Congress. For convenience he divides the members into four classes, the first and smallest being the intelligent statesmen, who study public questions on their merits, and who conduct that study with intellectual ability and honest diligence. They speak not to display their talents, but to influence legislation, and they use their power to forward the public business and not to promote their private ends. These are the ideal members.

The second class are the voluble demagogues, who advocate the opinions they suppose will be popular among those to whom they look for re-election, and who have no convictions to speak of. They skim over the surface of the tariff or any other question that is up for discussion, but in reality they know nothing of it.

Third come the silent intriguers, who seldom speak, because they have not sufficient intellectual ability. They pretend to be influential in the committees, but their only connection with the public business is to vote with their party on party questions, and on other questions to vote in such a manner as to fulfill their engagements with their special supporters. Their real labors in Washington are in the executive departments, and they are really nothing but the errand boy of their district, the obsequious servant of its party politicians.

The fourth class are styled "the wealthy dullards" who have been nominated merely because they could contribute largely to campaign funds, and who really know nothing of public affairs.

The writer gives as the remedy for the inefficiency of Congress, the election only of men of the first class. There is rarely a district but which contains several men of that stamp, although they are seldom nominated, as they will not descend to the wire-pulling and other "dodges" necessary. If patriotic citizens would make it a point to attend and control the caucuses or primaries which select delegates to the nominating convention, it would be easy to remedy the evil, and it can be done in no other way.

The editor of the Century, in discussing the letter, says that we shall not have efficient legislation until we get a better class of men for congressmen, and he adds: "Nobody who has followed the course of all our legislative bodies for the past few years can fail to conclude that there has been a steady descent in the scale of ability and character of the men who are elected to make our laws. It used to be considered a high honor to be sent even to a State legislature. Does anybody consider it so now? Few men who are fit for the service make any effort to get into it, while the most unfit men work hardest, and usually succeed in getting the position. The remedy is with the people, and in our opinion clearly lies in the line of a thorough and universal application of the merit system to all the minor offices of the nation, the state, and the municipality." These words are worthy of careful consideration by every citizen who desires good legislation.

SOME CURIOUS CRITICISM.

The Journal of Education has ventured into politics and severely criticizes President Cleveland for the appointment of Nathan H. R. Dawson of Alabama as commissioner of education. It claims that the petitions of the multitude of teachers were ignored, the profession insulted, and the state chosen that ranks every other in the Union in the intensity of ignorance and the neglect of general education. After all this, one would naturally expect the Journal to find fault with the nominee, but it does nothing of the sort. It kindly says that Mr. Dawson is not responsible, he did not seek the place, and then it proceeds to give him a first class certificate of character, stating that "he enters upon his duties in a commendable spirit. He is a brained man, a natural leader, a sincere friend of education, a man who will make few clerical changes, who will advance the interest of the South by zealous personal devotion to its interests. He is a brother-in-law of the lamented President Lincoln, a man with friendly associations in the North, one cal-

culated to avoid antagonisms and win friends." If Mr. Dawson is all this, we fail to see how the President made any mistake, and most people will pardon him for not appointing a man who sought the office. The South certainly needs all the benefits it can derive from having a commissioner who understands its needs, and knows how to remedy the deficiencies in its educational advantages. A Journal of Education is not the place for partisan politics, but the fairness of the editor is shown by his nullifying the effect of his criticism of the President, by praise of the appointee. Such a combination of poison and antidote in one column is seldom seen.

THE NINTH DISTRICT.

The newspapers of this district have followed the GRAPHIC's lead in discussing the question of Congressman Ely's re-nomination with great frankness. The Brookline Chronicle says he is not an ideal representative, and his work has not insured the following of an enthusiastic constituency; but it believes that the "infliction" will have to be borne a while longer. The Franklin Sentinel says it is only waiting for the expiration of Mr. Ely's second term to start a boom for "Hon. Joseph G. Ray of Franklin," the wealthiest man in that town. The Westboro' Chronotype takes up the cudgels in defence of Mr. Ely with considerable heat, and it admits that our congressman is a man of only average ability, yet it says that he "has rendered prompt service to his constituents in personal matters when appealed to." It wants him re-nominated for this, and in order to see "unreasonably selfish people thwarted in their aims," a very commendable sentiment. The Chronotype charges that the GRAPHIC has an axe to grind in this matter, and we have; we want to see the district represented by an intelligent statesman, who will take as high a position in Washington as Congressmen Long or Ranney, and who will have a stronger claim to a re-nomination than merely because it is the custom to give an incumbent a second term.

The formal call to the Republican state convention in Tremont Temple, Wednesday, September 29th, has been sent out, and caucuses for the election of delegates are now in order. It is the duty of Republicans everywhere to send their foremost men as delegates, so that the conclusions reached by the convention may be accepted as the sentiment of the most intelligent citizens of the State. In this city only the ablest and strongest men should be chosen to represent us at the convention, and it should be the duty of all good citizens to attend the caucuses and have a voice in the matter. It is not the men who wish to be nominated that should be chosen, but those who will best represent the city. In spite of the silly talk of some super-serviceable organs about nominations by acclamation, the question of the candidate to succeed Gov. Robinson is not yet settled, and it will not be until the convention meets. If the right sort of delegates are chosen, the question will be settled in a manner that will do honor to the state and to the party.

JUDGE PARK's article on the legal aspects of Boycotts and Strikes in another column will be read with interest at this time, as the question is one in which every man is interested. Greystone discusses in a thoughtful manner Andrew Carnegie's recent book, the Mexican policy and other questions, while Sedgeworth describes her experience during a voyage up the St. Lawrence. These with the other contributions and local news make up an exceptional number of the GRAPHIC.

THE SPRINGFIELD REPUBLICAN still holds its position as one of the leading New England papers, and those who have once taken it can not get along without it. Its Boston letters and able discussion of State politics makes it a welcome visitor in this section. See what is said of it in an advertisement in another column.

"SILLY nonsense" is what the Boston Record calls the story that the release of Cutting was due to the influence of President Levi C. Wade, of the Mexican Central Road, who is now in Mexico. Mr. Wade is in that country on business for the road, and probably had neither the time nor inclination to interfere in behalf of such a man as Cutting.

THE presentation of the name of Representative E. W. Wood for Senator from this district is being received with favor on all sides. Mr. Wood's brilliant record in the house at the last session has entitled him to promotion.

THE WALTHAM FREE PRESS is to join the ranks of eight page papers. They will all have to come to it in time.

Painting.

L. H. Cranitch is receiving numerous orders at his new shop, over N. W. Tupper's grocery store, and those who wish work well done patronize Mr. Cranitch. He does all kinds of work at satisfactory prices. Former patrons are invited to call, and new ones will find it to their advantage to consult him.

The Beauties of Littleton.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

OAK HILL HOUSE, LITTLETON, N. H., Aug. 28, 1886.

"The Oak Hill House" is apparently so called on the *lucus a non lucendo* principle, because there are no oaks on the hill upon which the hotel stands. But there is no lack of other appointments and comforts calculated to provide a first-class summer retreat and home. If I could only commit to my paper somewhat of the pure and invigorating air, which we are privileged to breathe, and the sense of comfort and rest and peace which are in the very atmosphere up on this height, I could be sure of a very general perusal of my letter. But some conception of our peculiar privileges I must endeavor to convey. Imagine yourself, Mr. Editor, upon our hotel piazza, from which may be had one of the most varied and picturesque and enchanting views to be found anywhere in this grand old State of granite and waterfalls and mountains. Three hundred feet above the village street, the town of Littleton lies below, spread out through the valley. The winding Ammonoosuc, with its ever musical falls, makes many a quaint detour and spreads its silver line for many a mile.

Across yonder broad valley, upon the wooded mountain crest, nestles the village of Bethlehem, whose many lights, scintillating far into the night, shine bright as "a good deed in a naughty world." We have every circumstance and detail of a perfect picture,—the scattered cottages and hamlets upon the far away hills, the stretches of farm-land and garden, of forest, of yellow fields, from which have been harvested the wheat or rye. Then outside of all, like a fitting frame for a picture more gigantic and beautiful than artist ever painted, are the eternal hills, of which Agassiz and others are in the chain, clothed with green to their very top; hills which the Almighty has established in strength and "girded with joy." To one who has spent hours, as has your correspondent, in looking forth upon the landscape which can never be adequately described, there is truth in the figure of speech of the Psalmist, and the fields do indeed seem "to clap their hands."

Such then is the prospect when the clouds hang low and shut down upon the distant mountains, and the fog-drifts and cloud-shadows and sun-patches chase each other from hill to hill over the broad valleys. But for the days of bright sun and clear air there is a higher and far more massive wall outside of this inner amphitheatre. Full one-half of our horizon is broken and bounded by mountains, from Moosilauke on the extreme right, through Lafayette and the Franconia range, to Washington and Adams, et cet., to the left.

Never was location better chosen for purposes of recreation and rest; seldom was hotel better kept than is the Oak Hill House. Littleton has well been called a principal hub of the mountain region. From our broad piazzas one may see the great journeying trains as they roll in at the depot below. It is noteworthy to observe with what precision and punctuality these express trains are run. It is the rare exception that any White Mountain train, whether from Boston or New York, gets in even so much as five minutes late.

Finally, while our situation gives us, in natural beauty, what no money could buy and what is unspeakably beyond all appreciation by monetary value, it is doubtless the purpose of the hotel management to afford us our full money's worth in material comforts. The table never greatly varies, and is calculated steadily both to stimulate and satisfy the appetite; and one who cannot sleep soundly in our beds must have some fault of health or conscience, and should consult his doctor or his pastor. May all our friends find as happy and enjoyable a home for their summer rest as we have found at "Oak Hill."

MEDICUS.

Ladies' Custom Made Shoes.

A. L. Rhind has built up a large trade in ladies' custom made shoes, and he has recently had to have a large workshop built in the rear of his store, where a number of workmen are kept constantly busy. Ladies who wish stylish and at the same time comfortable shoes are leaving their orders with Mr. Rhind, and his price is no more than would be charged at any first-class store in town. It is seldom that a custom shoe maker can be found, and Newton ladies should call upon Mr. Rhind and see samples of his work, which can not be told from that of the highest-priced dealer in Boston. Mr. Rhind also makes men's shoes at satisfactory prices. Further particulars will be found in his advertisement.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at Newton, Middlesex Co. Mass., September 4, 1886.

Ladies.—Mrs. Henry Atchison, Miss Black, Lucia Barborn, Belle Cameron, 2, Miss F. C. Curtis, Mrs. F. P. Currier, Mrs. H. W. Jenkins, Miss Kerr, Mrs. Julia Madden, Mary McAleer, Mrs. A. W. Peck, Hattie G. Shattuck, Miss F. Sullivan, Mrs. B. P. Winslow, Flossie White.

Gents.—Mr. Boyle, Frank Caiman, Earnest Forsythe, Charles Meiner, G. M. Street, James Spencer, John H. Stearns, Louis E. P. Smith, J. Walsh, 2, B. M. Wiggins, J. G. Latta, P. M.

MARRIED.

At Auburndale, Sept. 1, by Rev. Wm. S. Smith, Mrs. Sarah C. Hammond to William Knight, both of Providence, R. I.

DIED.

In Newtonville, Aug. 27, Sarah, infant daughter of Michael and Elizabeth Welsh, aged 7 months.

In Newton, Aug. 30, Catherine A., daughter of Patrick and Elizabeth Nally, aged 10 yrs., 11 mos.

In Newton Lower Falls, Aug. 30, Irene, infant daughter of Charles H. and Annie Dorsey, aged 4 mos., 17 days.

In Auburndale, Aug. 27, Kate, daughter of Michael and Winifred Walsh, aged 9 yrs., 5 mos., 17 days.

In Newton Upper Falls, Aug. 31, Mary, widow of the late Whipple Freeman, 61 yrs., 1 mo.

In Charlestown, Sept. 28, at his son's, No. 11 Marion street, Deacon Ebenezer D. White, an old resident of Newton, 88 yrs. Funeral Sept. 4, 1 P. M.

Died, Sept. 2, Mr. Elijah Clark, of Newton, aged 81. Funeral private.

By ATWOOD & WELD,

Auctioneers, Appraisers and Real Estate Agents,

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Will sell at Public Auction 20 House Lots on Hunnewell Avenue, Newton.

At this sale we shall offer 86,000 square feet of land, divided into twenty medium sized house lots, containing from 3500 to 6500 square feet each, located in one of the finest sections of the city of Newton, on Hunnewell avenue and a new 40 foot street from the avenue, adjoining the estate of Henry Claffin, Esq. The elevation of this land makes it very desirable for building medium priced or very fine residences for homes; nothing but desirable houses with suitable outbuildings can be erected on this land, thereby assuring all that buy these lots that the neighborhood will be kept first-class, as it is now. Being only a few minutes' walk from steam cars, schools and churches, on high, dry land, in a healthy location, with fine surroundings, and with the privilege of buying large or small lots at your own price (which is seldom the case in a locality of this kind) and on very easy terms, we would call your special attention to this sale. Plans and further particulars at our office, 51 Sears Building, Boston.

TO RENT FURNISHED. A modern house of 8 rooms, with furnace, bath room and all conveniences. A good sized yard with plenty of fruit and the use of barn if desired. Five minutes walk from the Newton depot. For Particulars apply at the GRAPHIC Office. 47

FOUND.—A hundred ride ticket. The owner can have by applying at Baggage room, Newton depot, and paying charges. 47

MACHINE STITCHING. Azalia C. Teulon, School Street, Ward One. 47,2

WANTED. Board and room in a private family for single lady, at moderate price. Address, S. K., Box 43, Newton. 47,if

WANTED. Places for several first class girls. Apply to Miss Bickford, 2nd door east of Post Office, Newton. 47

TO RENT. A large and pleasant room to man and wife, with home comforts. Address, X. Y., Box 43, Newton, P. O. 47

FOUND. A collection of photographic plates. Apply at the GRAPHIC Office. 47

FOR SALE. A number of parlor stoves nearly new at moderate prices. Apply to S. K. Harwood, Hotel Hunnewell. 47,if

WANTED. 4 cooks and 6 general housework girls at Miss Bickford's, 2nd door east of Post Office. 47

TO LET.—In West Newton, a convenient house, well situated, on Cherry Street. Apply to Mrs. R. A. Carroll. Terms reasonable to a good tenant. 47

STORAGE can be had, at reasonable rates, for Furniture, Pianos, Etc., for one or more months, in new, dry, and clean compartments. Address Box 488, Ward One, Newton. 44

ALL PERSONS troubled with their door or house bells not working, are invited to examine the Zimard Pneumatic Bell. No cranks. No wires. No batteries to get out of order. BARBER BROS.

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In sums to suit on Pianos. Furniture and other personal property, including Farm Property, which may be paid by installments. Business confidential. Room retired. No. 1, Tamworth Street, rear of 208 Tremont. LORING. 47

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We are now making up our books for the approaching season, and should be pleased to have you call or correspond with us in regard to any Real Estate to be sold entire, at private sale or at auction. Judging from the past few months, this fall season will prove a busy one. We make a specialty of property in Newton, Newtonville, West Newton, Auburndale, Newton Centre and Newton Highlands, either at private sale, at auction or leasing.

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Room 6 and 7. 47,2

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Miss Spear will be at home evenings and at her school-room mornings, except SATURDAY, from SEPTEMBER 6TH, to make arrangements for the next school year, and to work with any who wish for special supervision either in making up deficiencies or in doing extra work. The school will be regularly organized.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13,

at which time new classes will be formed in Latin and Greek, in French and German under native teachers, and in Music and Elocution. A limited number of special pupils will be admitted to these classes. Pupils who are not able to be present at the beginning of the term will please send their names and dates of entrance before September 13, that seats may be reserved for them. 46-9

KINDERGARTEN.

MISS FANNY L. SMALLWOOD

Will re-open her KINDERGARTEN on Church Street, Newton.

SEPTEMBER 13, 1886,

Terms, \$12.50 per quarter. For further particulars address F. L. SMALLWOOD, NEWTON, MASS. 46,4

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Full line sundries; second-hand machines bought, sold, or taken in exchange. Also BICYCLES AND TRICYCLES TO LET AT REASONABLE RATES.

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NEWTONVILLE.

—Miss Alice Jones is at the Appledore House, Isle of Shoals.

—Miss Sarah Deshon of Meriden, Conn., is visiting Miss Tewksbury.

—Col. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson of Topeka, Kansas, are visiting friends here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Faber have returned after a pleasant summer at the shore.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Chaloner are contemplating a trip to Nova Scotia in a few weeks.

—Alderman Grant and family return tomorrow, (Saturday,) from their sojourn at Strawberry Hill.

—Miss Fannie Emerson has returned from her little outing, much recuperated and refreshed.

—A force of twenty men are digging for the foundation of the new high school building.

—Next week the street department will begin work on Newtonville avenue, near the residence of Mr. Fayette Shaw.

—Mr. George W. Morse and family returned this week from Winthrop, where they passed the summer.

—Rev. R. H. Holway has returned from his vacation, and will preach at the Methodist Church next Sunday.

—Mrs. J. G. Fillebrown of Washington Park is making a short visit in Portland, Me.

—The teachers and scholars begin to flock home, and the streets again assume their usual lively aspect.

—Mrs. William Fleming of West Newton is spending a few days with her brother, Mr. S. F. Brewer of Court street.

—Mr. Shepard Crain is convalescent, and it is hoped he will soon be able to be out again.

—Rev. R. A. White has returned from his vacation and will occupy his pulpit next Sunday. His health is very much improved.

—Rev. Pleasant Hunter has rented Mr. Andrew Wellington's house on Harvard street, and will arrive here the first of October with his family.

—The earthquake shock was noticed here, and one lady who was standing near the window was greatly alarmed by the trembling of the house.

—Mrs. Otis Hall, nee Miss Katie Thayer, has a daughter born Monday last. Congratulations from her old friends are in order.

—Mrs. H. D. Kingsbury, who has been ill for six weeks, will soon seek rest and strength among the mountains of New Hampshire.

—Miss Ellen Sherman returns to Northfield next week, to resume her duties in the private school, where she has been for several years.

—Dr. Otis E. Hunt, wife and granddaughter, who have been spending several weeks at Bethlehem, N. H., on account of the doctor's asthma, have returned to Newtonville.

—The railroad gates have been lengthened out, and are now in working order again. In a few days the railroad crossing will be widened, and the square improvements will then be finished.

—Messrs. Leavitt & Lancy are making numerous improvements on the Dexter block, and others are contemplated, which will make the block an ornament to the village.

—Mr. Howard Hiltz, who for some time has been the Agent of the American Express Co. here, has been lately appointed depot master at the Woodlawn Station on the Circuit Road.

—The brass band, it is hoped, will rapidly improve, and some of the people in the vicinity of the square would like to have them retire to the woods or some isolated building.

—Miss Margaret Taylor, who for some months has made her home here, has accepted a position in the Royal State Normal School for the blind, near London, England. She expects to sail on the Catalonia, Sept. 9. Her friends wish her "bon voyage."

—Mrs. H. N. Sherwood has been appointed assistant postmistress, and Miss Mary L. Rogers of Newburyport clerk. Miss Sibley will take a much needed rest after this week, as her health has suffered somewhat from the close confinement to her duties.

—Messrs. Beal & McGurty have decided to erect a business block on the lot they recently purchased from the Bailey estate, three stories in height, with stores on the first floor and rooms and offices on the two upper stories. They are having the plans drawn, and the contracts will soon be awarded. This will be a great improvement to the square.

—The improvements that ex-Governor Claflin has made at the post office are much appreciated by the citizens. Swinging storm-doors are to be put in, so that the lobby will be comfortable in winter, and other improvements that Postmaster Turner has hardly ventured to suggest have been made, until the office is a credit to Newtonville.

—The funeral of Mrs. C. W. Cook was held at her father's residence on Austin street last Sunday afternoon, and was very largely attended, as the deceased was a universal favorite here. Rev. Mr. Holway officiated, and it was one of the saddest funerals held here in a long time. The remains were placed in the receiving tomb at the Newton Cemetery.

—At last Thursday's auction sale of land on Nevada street, Mr. H. D. Norton of Watertown was a purchaser of one building lot. It was a corner lot and one of the best sold. Mr. Norton will build at once a double house on it. He will occupy one tenement and rent the other. Mr. Norton has been employed by the Nonantum Com-

pany for a number of years, and it will be convenient for him to have a home near his work.

—We have only one barber here now, as Mr. Harris has bought out Griffith, and has moved into his new quarters in the second story of the addition to the Dexter block.

—Services at the New Jerusalem Church (Swedenborgian) will be resumed next Sunday. Rev. Wm. L. Worcester of Philadelphia will officiate.

—The music and literary committee of the Goddard Literary Union are requested to meet in the ladies' parlor of the Universalist church, Tuesday evening, Sept. 7th, at 7.30 P. M.

Mr. J. Cheever Fuller has put up a handsome sign in front of his real estate office, over Williams' drug store; which will be very convenient for those wishing to call on him, as it can be seen from the depot.

—Mr. Ernest G. Loomis died at his father's residence on Lowell street, this (Friday) morning at 4 a. m., of typhoid fever, aged 25 years and 10 months. He has only been ill a short time, and his death will be learned of with great sorrow. Mr. Loomis was a very promising young man, and was a frequent contributor to the GRAPHIC, an article from his pen appearing in last week's issue. His articles always were of interest from their originality and thoughtful character, and the GRAPHIC feels a personal loss in his death. His mother died only a few months ago, and the bereaved father will have the sympathy of all in his severe affliction. It is probable that the funeral will be held on Sunday.

—The Sunday Times in its Ocean Spray notes says that after a season's sojourn at the Winthrop Beach house, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bryant last Wednesday morning said good-bye. The friendship existing between them and the other guests during their stay was of the pleasantest character, and the night previous to their departure they were made the victims of a surprise party, which will long remain with them as a pleasant memory. While quietly sitting in their rooms, doubtless thinking of their attractive home in Newtonville, they were somewhat startled by a knocking at their outside gate. Imagine their surprise upon opening the door to see two old ladies, one colored and one white, followed by all the guests in the house, the ladies wearing black and white caps, and the gentlemen wearing black and white rosettes. The old ladies were perfectly disguised, and proved to be on close inspection Mr. F. R. Washburn, whose long residence in the south enabled him to personate the old darkey in a perfect manner, and the old gray headed dame by Mr. W. L. Dolbear. Mr. N. M. Gross appeared as a nun, Mr. A. S. Glover as a girl of the period, and Mrs. Glover as "The Woman in White." Owing to the limited size of the room of the Bryants, the company repaired to the dining-room, where in a few well chosen words Mr. J. S. Cushing, the chaplain of the house, made a short speech expressing the regrets of the company at their departure, to which Mr. Bryant responded in a very feeling manner, ending by inviting the company to participate in an excellent collation, after which music by Miss Emily Twitchell, Mr. Glover and others, and dancing in which all participated, were in order until a late hour in the evening.

WEST NEWTON.

—The venerable Squire Davis celebrates his 90th birthday to-day (Friday).

—City Marshal Hammond has returned home from his vacation at North Easton.

—B. M. Kattelle has purchased a lot on the new street leading from Temple street.

—Mr. Fisher Ames and family have returned from their summer vacation.

—Mrs. C. C. Cook is spending two or three weeks in Bangor, Me.

—The old Macular house is levelled to the ground, much to the improvement of the surrounding neighborhood.

—Mr. W. K. Wood received an award for cut flowers at last Saturday's Horticultural hall exhibition.

—Some of the residents on Waltham street have had their fences taken down, which is an improvement to the street.

—One of the stores in Gammons Block is being fitted up for a millinery and dress-making establishment.

—The Pierce school house on Washington street is undergoing some repairs, also painting and tinting.

—The installation of Crescent Commandery No. 86, U. O. G. C., will be held Monday evening next.

—Chief H. L. Bixby of the Fire Department returned from his vacation last Saturday evening.

—Gardiner P. Gates on Temple street has rented his house, and with his family will spend the winter in Boston.

—City Messenger Wellington has been spending a week's vacation among old friends in Troy, N. Y. He returns home Saturday night.

—Rev. Mr. Jaynes returned from his Rangeley trip the first of this week. Services in the Unitarian church will be resumed Sabbath next.

—The Concord Manufacturing Company postponed the exhibition of the workings of their chemical hand fire-pump, Tuesday afternoon, on account of the rain.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Collagan have returned from their bridal trip, and commenced housekeeping this week in this ward.

—Dr. Thayer and wife have gone to Downer Landing, where Mrs. Thayer will remain for a few weeks, but the Doctor returns this week.

—Rev. Dr. I. N. Tarbox is one of the delegates appointed by the New England Historical and Genealogical Society to the celebration of the 200th anniversary of the settlement of Woodstock, Ct., on September 5.

—Only eight cases were before the police court this week, of which two were for as-

sault and battery, one for disturbing the peace, one for violating the city ordinance, one for drunkenness, one for keeping a liquor nuisance, and two for keeping unlicensed dogs.

—William Jones was brought before the police court Monday afternoon for using profane and improper language in the church at North village, and was fined \$5 and costs; also Richard Houghton for an aggravated assault on Andrew Marshall was fined \$10 and costs, in default of which he was sentenced to forty days in the house of correction.

—The conviction of James W. Corning of Newton Highlands, whose place was raided by the police officers, shows that when there is any direct evidence it is not difficult to get a liquor dealer punished. The trouble in most of the cases that come before Judge Park is, that there is no legal evidence, however strong may be the belief of the witnesses. Corning was fined \$200 and costs, and he took an appeal.

—Rev. Mr. Patrick arrived home from his foreign tour Friday last on the Scythia. Consequent upon fatigue, Rev. Dr. Tarbox assisted in the services, preaching very acceptably. The warmth of the pastor's welcome home was testified by heart and hand shakings on every side. We understand later that many of the parishioners of Mr. Patrick, ascertaining his arrival, repaired to the parsonage Saturday evening to offer their congratulations to the pastor upon his safe return.

—The Fruit and Flower Mission, under the auspices of the Unitarian Society, has been well remembered this summer in flower offerings. The season continues one month longer, when flowers will not be so abundant. While our trees and vines will be laden with their autumnal riches, will not our friends, particularly the children, remember the invalids in our hospitals who would be revived by a taste of the luscious fruit. The Baptist Society have united in the charge of it two weeks, and the Congregational church have it for the close of the season, the first of October.

—Mayor Weeks, Alderman Jencks and Superintendent of Streets Manson, of Haverhill, visited our city on Friday last. The purpose of their visit was to see the pumping station, examine our streets and more particularly inspect the operation of our steam roller. In the absence of Mayor Kimball, the officials at the City Hall, with Superintendent of Streets Fuller, took them over many of the streets, and at Waverly avenue they saw the steam road-roller, the working of which gave them great satisfaction. Never before having visited Newton, their pleasures in seeing our beautiful streets and residences gave them the impression that we must be a city of millionaires.

AUBURNDALE.

—Henry Barry has a large black dog, which is being kept for the owner.

—It is proposed to have the grounds about the Williams school building concreted this fall.

—During Miss Plummer's absence, Mr. John M. Burr played the organ at the Congregational church.

—Timothy Maloy, who has been in the Cottage Hospital for the past eight weeks, under treatment for a fractured thigh, was discharged last Wednesday, recovered.

—Rev. E. E. Strong and wife received a friendly welcome on Friday evening in an illumination and a serenade. They have had a most enjoyable tour.

—Alderman Geo. M. Fiske and wife, and J. P. B. Fiske, are making an extended trip through the White Mountains, with headquarters at the Profile House, Franconia Notch.

—The Scythia brought home on Friday three of the five Newton clergymen who have been in Europe this summer—Rev. Mr. Patrick of West Newton and Rev. Mr. Cutler and Rev. Dr. Strong of Auburndale. The latter reached home just in time to participate in the funeral service over his young parishioner, Mr. George Frederic Hall, whose early death is sincerely mourned by many friends.

—Quite an interesting sight in a garden on Grove street every evening about sunset is the opening of the blossoms of the Evening Primrose. The bud, closely rolled together, seems to be arranged with a system of springs which cause it in about a minute and a half to burst open with three successive impulses into a fully developed and beautiful flower of very delicate yellow, about four inches across. It is a truly wonderful sight. The flower closes next morning.

—We rejoice in each day's progress in the work on the new tunnel. Especially gratifying it is to see twenty or thirty feet of the fence which made our village look like a cattle yard taken down. The corporation have kindly placed the southern end of the tunnel just where the rear end of the in-going trains generally stops, so that every facility will be offered the last man or boy in reaching the train.

—The preacher at the M. E. Church last Sunday was the Rev. Mr. Pike of South Newmarket, N. H., the father of Mrs. C. B. Kendall. His vigorous and powerful sermons were attentively received and much enjoyed. The pastor will officiate next Sunday. The musical program will include "Jesus, Word of God, Incarnate," and "O, Lamb of God," by Gounod, and several other fine selections.

—The sudden death of her father prevented Miss Phillips, organist of the Church of the Messiah, from performing her duties the past two Sundays. Last Sunday Mrs. Turner played in the morning. The musical service at evening prayer has for some time been taken by Mrs. C. E. Parker. The respect and sympathy of the parish was shown by the draping of the gallery in black, and Chopin's funeral march was played in the afternoon of Aug. 22. Miss Phillips will return to her duties next Sunday.

The Newton Natural History Society's Trip to Newport.

Saturday, the 28th of August, proved an ideal day for the trip. The party, 79 in number, took a special car on the Old Colony at 8.30 and arrived all right, with the exception of one unfortunate, who, being in the New Bedford section of the train, was switched off and left at Taunton. However, he successfully joined the party by a later train. On our arrival at Newport the entire party took barges for Ocean drive. The first part of the drive was a disappointment to those of us who made the trip for the first time, and it was unanimously admitted that there is plenty of land left still at Newport for prospective purchasers. We lunched at a charming spot opposite the residence of Mr. Davis. Here was a point of land, with a short thick turf and rocks to ones heart's content. The iron stages built far out on the rocks for erabass fishing were one of the sights of this place. Near here also is a reproduction of the old stone tower, which caused some of the party familiar with the tower in photographs to try to pass it off as the genuine article. The latter portion of the drive through the fashionable quarter will never be forgotten. The wonderful grounds and flowers, particularly a dark blue variety of Hydrangea, caused many expressions of pleasure and surprise.

The houses cannot be mentioned in this short account, as they did not seem as wonderful to us as the flowers and lawns. The party visited the Redwood Library, the Casino and then scattered. Some to take the Cliff walk, and some to see the style on Bellevue avenue, and still others to the beaches, and whichever course was taken it could not but result in pleasure. The Channing Church and the Old Mill were objects of interest to us all. Have-meyer's place with its charming window gardens, James Gordon Bennett's granite "cottage" with its owls and Japanese curiosities, Miss Wolff's and Lorillard's places were each and all worth a trip to see. We were shown the curious houses of Gen. Van Alen, who recently jumped overboard from one of the Atlantic steamers, and the residence of Gov. Wetmore of Rhode Island, and many more places curious and beautiful. One of the curious ones was old Fort Dumpling, and one of the beautiful, the store of the most prominent florist Hodgson, with its miniature pond and profusion of flowers. We sadly left Newport at 5.15, obliged to miss the polo game, and much which we had not yet seen. The Boston & Albany officials kindly held the 8 o'clock train for us, and we all reached home safely.

Too much credit cannot be given to Dr. Frisbie, to whose exertions and management the greater part of the success of the trip was due.

State Fireman's Convention.

Mr. F. H. Humphrey of Engine Company No. 2 was chosen one of the committee on Credentials at the State Fireman's convention in Pittsfield. The financial transactions of H. H. Easterbrook were reported upon at considerable length, and it was stated that he had run the association into debt to the amount of \$625, and \$372 of this had not been accounted for. Ex-President Damrell was censured for carelessness in not looking after the secretary more carefully. Amendments to the constitution and by-laws were made by which the executive committee consists of five instead of seven members. Instead of a membership fee of \$2, with \$1 annual dues, the members will now have to pay but \$1 a year. Delegates to the national convention are hereafter to pay their own expenses. The election of officers occurred on Wednesday, and F. H. Humphrey of this city was chosen one of the executive committee. At Wednesday evening's session a letter was read from ex-Secretary Easterbrook, defending ex-President Damrell from charges of being in any way responsible for the unfortunate financial condition of the association and saying he was not entitled to censure. A member of the committee explained that the deferring of the passing of resolutions of thanks to Mr. Damrell was not meant as a censure, but was suggested because the society was not able, with its heavy debts, to pay for engrossed and framed resolutions that might be adopted. It was voted that Mr. Easterbrook's letter be returned to him and his name stricken from the list of members of the association.

Resolution in Honor of Dexter Whipple.

At the meeting of the board of Overseers of the poor, Thursday afternoon, the following resolutions were adopted, in honor of their deceased member, Mr. Dexter Whipple:

Whereas: It has pleased the Almighty to remove from our number a recent associate, Mr. Dexter Whipple.

Resolved: That in the death of Mr. Whipple, the city suffers the loss of an earnest and faithful official, and the community an upright and worthy citizen. We bear testimony to the worth, generous and amiable character of the deceased, and sincerely mourn his death. We extend to the bereaved family our most heartfelt sympathy in this time of sadness.

Resolved That these resolutions be spread upon the records, and a copy sent to the family. Attest, NATHAN MOSMAN, Clerk.

The Oldest Resident Gone.

John Lenox (colored), the oldest resident of Watertown, died at his residence in that town Wednesday night. He was born in Newton on June 13, 1794, and was therefore 92 years old. He learned the hairdresser's trade in Salem and had kept a shop in Watertown for over 70 years. He was well known to all the people of Watertown as "Uncle John," and was looked upon as a perfect encyclopedia of knowledge concerning the early history of Watertown. He leaves six children, three sons and three daughters. One of his sons has been engaged with him for 50 years or more in business.

Bicycle Notes.

On September 13th, at 9 a. m., W. H. Huntley, of the Nonantum Cycle Club, will start on his attempt to beat the 24-hour bicycle record. He will ride on a 54-inch Rudge light roadster, over a course of 124 miles,—the same length as McCurdy's,—starting from the club rooms at Newtonville, and will go through Washington street to Crafts street, Waltham, Lowell, Crescent, Derby, Cherry, River, Lexington, Auburndale avenue, Crafts, Watertown street, to West Newton; Waltham street, Crafts, Watertown, Walker and Washington streets, to the Club rooms. The course will be carefully measured by a surveyor, and the club are making extensive preparations for the event. Messrs. McCurdy, Drummond and John Williams, all of them promoters, will probably act as pace-makers. Mr. Huntley's friends are certain that he can break the record, as he proved his endurance during the recent tandem ride.

All trouble over the riding of H. D. Corey with Huntley is to be avoided by dropping the matter. The record made will not be sent in, as that would cause the classing of Mr. Corey and all who acted as pace-makers, among the promoters. Mr. Corey and A. Kennedy Childs, the celebrated English amateur rider, are to make an attempt to establish a 24-hours tandem record in the near future, the exact time not having yet been decided.

Four members of the Nonantum Club rode to Downer Landing last Sunday, in company with several members of the Massachusetts Club. The round trip from Newton is 44 miles. At the Landing they had a clam bake dinner, and came home late in the afternoon.

The Cycle says: We were in error in stating that an ordinance requiring a bicycle to carry a light was on the books of a city near Boston. We referred to Newton. The city clerk has furnished us with the ordinance relative to highways, and we find that the section relating to cycles reads as follows:—

"Sec. 19. No bicycle or tricycle shall be propelled upon any street or way, unless provided with a bell, to be rung when approaching any person; and neither shall it be propelled upon a sidewalk."

The penalty affixed to this is a fine of not less than one, nor more than twenty dollars.

Eliot Church.

Eliot Church pulpit was occupied by one its own members, S. M. Sayford, Esq. last Sunday. The morning sermon from John 6:37—40, was an effort to reconcile the great doctrine of "Election," with "Man's free Agency" to accept or reject the Salvation freely offered to him. That is, Jesus will not only not lose any whom God gave him, but will not lose any that came unto him; the matter being considered from a layman's standpoint, resting upon a literal reading of Scripture, rather than from a theologian's mental reasoning. It proved a telling appeal to all to make their "calling and election sure." Because lawyer Durant listened to and heeded the invitation of his dying boy to meet him in heaven, the \$1,000,000 endowment of Wellesley College on a Christian foundation was secured. The evening sermon was upon the "Glorious Vision." "For we shall see him as he is," 1 John 3:2. It was an eloquent exposition of the glories of heaven and the exalted beauty of Christ, as the grand central figure and the admiration and worship therein, to see whom will be the realization of all the fondest hopes of humanity, and all this is the birthright of the believer in him.

The Old Plan and the New.

Mr. James F. Morse, Vice President of the Security Mutual Benefit Society of New York, 233 Broadway, has recently placed insurance to the amount of \$100,000 on the lives of Ex-Senator Arkell and his son, W. J. Arkell, proprietor of the Albany Evening Journal and the Judge. This insurance has been placed in the above named and other leading companies doing business on the assessment plan. The annual cost of carrying it will be less than a thousand dollars. In the old life or level premium companies the cost would be four thousand five hundred dollars. The Arkells are among the leading business men of the country, and their investment of this method of life insurance will carry weight in the business community.

The Security Mutual Benefit Society was organized in 1881, and we learn that the cost for assessments on a membership of 2000 of age has been less than five dollars a year for each thousand dollars of insurance. —[New York Financial Review.]

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IN THE CLOVER.

"If you find a six, for a wedding six,"
Quoted laughing Madge from the field of clover,
As she rose from spreading her snowy clothes
To count the mystic leaflets over.

"Of course it is Lou, or cousin Sue,
Whose wedding's foretold by the six-leaf clover,
For they've been wooed by a score or more,
While I've never even had one lover!"

Jamie, eavesdropping beyond the hedge,
Felt the words Madge meant for her own ears
Only
Strike a chord in his soul that before was dumb,
For his heart was young and his home was lonely.

"Never one lover! what, she? I vow
I would dearly love to be number one!
I'd take care there should never be number two,
Sweet Madge, and the wedding should be our
own!"

"If you find a four, put it over the door!"
Quoted Madge again from the crimson clover,
Where with deft brown hands she was spreading
clothes.
And a gay laugh rippled her red lips over.

"Put it over the door for Sue or Lou
To welcome their countless lovers under!
But then, what harm could the wee thing do?
They may count what it brings them each free
plunder."

Then Jamie rose again to his work,
Laying the swaths of crimson clover,
Till the drops stood out on his brow like dew,
And he looked where the water bubbled over.

Out in Farmer Lee's wide yard,
Where the white clothes bleached and milk pans
glittered,
And the eye that sought could never have found
A thing misplaced or a straw that littered.

So Jamie vaulted over the hedge,
His thirst with his courage growing more,
And greater still till he stepped within
The charmed precincts of the kitchen door.

There his bold eyes noted the green trefoil
Pinned high above, and a rosy gleam
In the soft brown eyes of Madge, demure,
Deepened the clover's spell, I ween.

But you long ago guessed the blissful ending
Of this little, everyday story in rhyme,—
The wedding wreath was of crimson clover,
And a year from that day was the wedding time.

—Mrs. C. H. Potter, in Good Housekeeping.

DR. MORTON'S CHOICE.

[By Sarah K. Bolton, in Woman's Journal.]

[This story will shortly be published by T. J. Crowell, with other sketches, in a volume entitled "Stories from Life."]

"You think there is no hope, doctor?"

"None!"

"Will he last till morning?"

"Yes, possibly, but not later."

There were no tears in Mrs. Manning's eyes as she spoke. It was plain that she was making herself strong against a crushing sorrow. Two weeks before she had buried her husband, a man of brilliant promise, and now her only child, a boy of ten, singularly bright and beautiful, was surely passing out of her unwilling hands. Every moment, as she watched the faint breathing, her heart rebelled. Finally as the wealth of color born of the opening day burst above the horizon and streamed into the room, the boy opened his eyes and said softly, "Kiss me, mamma!" then opened them in the land of eternal day.

Dr. Morton watched anxiously at this bedside, knowing that he could do nothing, but half-fearing that the silent but despairing mother might do something desperate. There were few words to be said; words of comfort at such a time are usually worse than wasted, but to have a human being near us is sometimes a safeguard and a relief.

Mrs. Manning's life had been a happy and uneventful one. George Eliot says those women are happiest who have no history. Her home had been her world. Too careful about the details of every-day life, she had made for herself little burdens that were not worth the making. Some of us learn that keeping a room clean and in order is a small part of life, and being worried at disarrangements one of the most trivial of things, when a great sorrow shows us their littleness.

When these great sorrows came to Cornelia Manning's life she was benumbed. She was a member of the church, but had not done much active work. Married young, she had allowed her life to centre within four walls, not having mingled half enough with other mothers, some of whom had buried sons and husbands.

After all was over, she shut herself in her room and wept, till death would have been a relief. Occasionally Dr. Morton called, prescribing something for overstrained nerves and a fevered brain. He grew troubled about her.

"Somebody must get her into the sunlight and out of herself," he said one day, as he drove toward the simple but poetic home of Caroline Hedge.

"Good-morning, Miss Hedge. There is more missionary work for you to do. You must see Mrs. Manning. She'll go into consumption if we don't save her. You are a tonic to anybody."

"But she won't see me, doctor."

"Yes, I told her I wanted you to take her to ride, and would send my carriage to-morrow. She refused, but I insisted, and I will leave the rest to you."

Miss Hedge had been through tribulation, and had conquered both it and herself. Early in life she was to have married a noble young man, when the steamer that bore him across the ocean to his bridal sank, and he was never heard from. Caroline Hedge felt life slipping away from her, when all at once she set her face toward the sunlight, and resolved to help the living instead of mourning for the dead. Deeply intellectual, she determined to lift the women about into the realm of the beautiful and the ideal; to encourage them

to read and study for the companionship of husbands and children. When a missionary society was organized, Miss Hedge must be the president. She made her home lovely, it was said, so that street Arabs might see pretty things once a week. She read profound books as well as light ones, so that even good Dr. Vrainonde was willing to talk theology with her, a thing he seldom did with a woman. Dr. Morton regarded her as a mother and sister combined, and told her in the frankest way of his love for pretty Susie Garnett, and her naive, charming ways.

When Miss Hedge called, Mrs. Manning came down stairs to receive her, pale in face and cold in manner, evidently preferring to have been left to her solitude. "I've brought you a little book that I thought would interest you,—Bickersteth's 'Yesterday, To-day, and Forever.' 'The Blessed Dead' is especially beautiful to me, when the father meets his darlings in Paradise, and they show him joys unspeakable," said Miss Hedge.

"Thank you for your thoughtfulness." The day was one of those in early September, when nature seems as tender and wooing as a lover; when the earth with its golden rod and cardinal flower, its clematis and purple asters, seems as beautiful as our dreams of heaven. Along the village street, clusters of mountain-ash berries leaned out of their wealth of green to cheer the passers-by, while the woody park through which they drove was fragrant with a thousand wild flowers, that seem to be for God's pleasure in the quiet nooks.

No word was spoken about Mrs. Manning's sorrows, but cheerful Miss Hedge told how Rome looked under the autumn sun, and how she thought our country lovelier than that great garden, England, which misses our gorgeous coloring; and as she talked of foreign countries and of art, the sad-faced woman grew deeply interested.

"I wish you could come sometimes to the little circle that meets at our house," said Miss Hedge. "It is very quiet there. We have an essay or talk about some modern artist or writer. 'William Morris' was our subject last week, a man who, while he writes those exquisite Greek stories in the 'Earthly Paradise,' also designs the most dainty fabrics for the beautifying of homes. No one has so wonderfully combined art and labor, and so made himself the friend of the working man, while he brightens the homes of luxury. We are too apt, especially women are, to study the old times, when we need to know who are the living leaders, and what are the freshest and highest thoughts of to-day."

"I think I could not come to the meetings," said Mrs. Manning, "but I should be glad to read any books you would lend me about such persons. My days would not seem so long with some beautiful words to fill my mind."

"Oh, gladly!" said Miss Hedge. "I have a paper next week about Jean Ingelow and her lovely home at Kensington, London, well-nigh filled with yellow primroses and blue forget-me-nots. I will send you some of her loveliest things, such as 'Divided,' and 'The Letter L.'"

Dr. Morton made it convenient to call on Mrs. Manning on the following evening. "Don't you think Miss Hedge a lovely woman?" he asked.

"Yes; she comforted me with her kind ways, and I scarcely know how, either."

"She is the best nurse I have."

Mrs. Manning opened her large brown eyes in wonderment.

"Oh, I don't mean professionally, but she knows how to cheer people, and not talk about her own troubles."

"I shouldn't think she had any!"

"Oh, those who often say least about them, often have most. But Miss Hedge believes in seeing sunshine where it is, and making it where it is not. Why, I think she does more good in the jail than half the preachers would. Usually when I want to hear a sermon, I go to the workhouse or poorhouse to hear her. I often have a patient there, and I try to make my time fit her hours. I don't know how this town would live without her. God sometimes seems to marry a woman to His work, rather than let her wed any one person. Ah, she brought you some of her books to read, I see."

"Yes; I suppose you haven't time to stay and read to me a little?" Mrs. Manning's heart longed for companionship, though she would not have breathed it to herself. Perhaps he was pleased to be asked, for he read Miss Ingelow's sweet picture of "A Mother showing the Portrait of her Child."

"As a boon the kiss is granted;
Baby-mouth, your touch is sweet.
Takes the love without the trouble
From those lips that with it meet;
Gives the love, O pure! O tender!
Of the valley where it grows.
But the baby heart receiveth
More than it bestows."

Learn, that if to thee the meaning
Of all other eyes be shown,
Fewer eyes can ever front thee
That are skilled to read thine own;
And that if thy love's deep current
May another's far outflow,
Then thy heart must take forever
Less than it bestows."

Then he read that dainty bit of human nature, "The Letter L," and some of Philip Bourke Marston's "Kind Voices," which make one happy that one's lot has not been so full of sorrow as that of the gifted and noble blind poet.

Two hours slipped by; longer than he thought he could possibly stay, when, rising, he said, "Good-by, Mrs. Manning. I shall be absent for a few weeks; going up to the White Mountains because they are so lovely in the month of October. I shall be at North Conway, so if you should be ill, don't hesitate to let me know."

Dr. Morton walked home slowly. "I half-think she has a warmer heart than Susie, but how ridiculous the world would think it, to give up a pretty, winsome girl for a widow! Mrs. Manning is no older than I—thirty. I wish Susie was more like Caroline Hedge. I told her so, but the dear thing isn't a bit fond of books. I wonder if she would enjoy reading with me? Well, she'll rest me after the hard riding

and wearing practice of the day. It isn't surprising that society has half-spoiled so pretty a face and such vivacious manners."

Miss Hedge dropped in at Mrs. Manning's accidentally to bring more reading; this time some of the Little Classics series, with pages turned down at that pathetic story, "The Man without a Country," in *Exile*; "The Luck of Roaring Camp," in *Life*; and that soul-stirring sketch by Harriet Prescott Spofford, "D'Outre Mort," in *Intellect*.

"Do you know where Dr. Morton has gone for his vacation?" asked Miss Hedge. "He didn't even come to say good-by to his old friend. I must ask Susie. She will know, of course."

"Is the doctor engaged to her?" said Mrs. Manning, and then, half-shamed to think she had asked, she said, "I hope she is noble, for the doctor is a true-hearted man."

"Yes," replied Miss Hedge, "but I fear it will not prove a happy marriage. An intellectual man should marry a wife who loves intellectual things. Companionship lasts, but a pretty face only pleases for a time. But," she added, for charity was great, "Susie has sunny, cheerful ways, and she may learn to love books to make herself his mental associate. A man so often grows away from his wife, who is not his intellectual equal that I tremble for such marriages."

North Conway, nestled under the mountains, was as full of poetry and rest as ever. Every walk had its delightful interest. Now Dr. Morton visited the Artists' Falls, now the gothic rock temple, and now he strolled past the house of Lady Blanche, and thought of the pathetic history of an earl's daughter. One day, seated under the overhanging cliff, he saw a fine horse approaching, and a merry peal of laughter greeted him. There was no mistaking Susie Garnett's light-hearted voice.

"Why, Dr. Morton!" she said as she pulled the reins suddenly, for her companion had not observed the stranger, so occupied was he with Susie's talk. "This is Mr. Genson, the brother of my friend Nettie, whom I am visiting. You've heard me speak of them."

"Why, your mother told me you would be in Boston all the time, or I would gladly have invited you and Miss Nettie here."

"Oh, mother thinks I am there still. Don't let her know. A little party of us have come up here for a jolly time, but mother is so strict, she would not approve it."

A shade, something like disappointment, passed over the doctor's face. He was sure Susie meant right, though deceiving one's mother did not reassure his heart. "I shall be at Mountain Cottage, doctor, and don't fail to come and see me," she said, as she shook hands warmly. "I want Nettie to know you, too. We shall not stay here long."

He called, but the pretty girl was not at home, and the happy party were soon back in Boston. Mr. Genson's face did not strike the doctor pleasantly. Perhaps that was but natural under the circumstances, meeting him with his own affianced. That he belonged to a family of wealth, his whole dress and manner indicated; that he was used to good society was equally apparent; but, though his keen dark eyes showed ambition, there was something about his mouth which betrayed weakness. He was excellent company, and soon showed to Susie that he found especial pleasure in being agreeable to her.

That she should tell him, which she might in one of a thousand ways, that she was betrothed to another, never seemed to occur to her. She liked admiration, enjoyed conquests, as does human nature generally, and thought hearts did not break very easily. Dr. Morton was older than Genson, but then he had an established position, and was a man of intellect, which she felt proud of, though not caring to take the trouble to study herself.

The time came for Susie's departure from Boston. To Genson it meant much, for though he was somewhat dissipated, he had a warm heart, and he loved the happy, attractive girl. He had said that morning, as they stood together under the gorgeous maples of her father's lawn, "I love you, Susie. I love you better than anybody else can. You would not disappoint me?" And the dark eyes looked beautiful as he pleaded.

She would write him. No, he could not wait for that; and holding the white hand in his, she promised to be his wife.

She went home very happy. It was inconvenient to be engaged to two persons at once, but others in her boarding-school had told her of similar predicaments. Yes, she really loved him better than the doctor, she told herself, for was he not handsome, a better dancer? and was he not the law, and his prospects would be as bright as her first lover's. She must, however, write Dr. Morton at once, lest he meet her as soon as he returned, and there be a scene in the presence of her common-sense mother.

The doctor received, while yet in the mountains, a letter in the well-known hand. He tore it open hastily and read:

"My Dear Friend,—Possibly you will not be surprised to learn that I love Mr. Genson, and have promised to marry him. I hope it will not be hard to give me up. I still want to regard you as a real friend, for I value all your kindness and noble character."

Dr. Morton was not as astonished or hurt as he would have been six months before. Half unconsciously, he had been outgrowing the pretty face. From childhood he had thought her lovely and pure, but now it was evident that her sense of right and honor was not as strong as he could wish. The letter sent back to her was a kind one, fully releasing her, but adding, what was too true, "A girl who deceives her mother would be apt to deceive her husband." Truth and sincerity were above all things else what Dr. Morton looked for in a friend, and he had not found them.

Society was greatly surprised when, a few months later, Susie Garnett was married to Mr. Genson. The wedding was a

handsome one, and though the young man was not altogether such as her mother would have desired, yet she hoped her daughter had chosen what would make her happiest. Some persons felt very sorry for Dr. Morton, while others felt in their hearts like congratulating him on his escape from an unequal union. Mrs. Manning never broached the subject when he came and read to her, but her heart ached for him. How lonely he must be! And striving to make the evenings pleasant for him, she forgot somewhat her own sorrows. He noted the happy change in her, and said nothing.

She had become deeply interested in all the good work of the city, and in the works and lives of the best authors. As she read more, her mind expanded, and she lived a new and broader life. The wonder grew that she should be content simply to love and be loved, when there was so much outside of self. The world about her grew vocal with its birds and flowers.

"Miss Hedge," said Dr. Morton one evening as he called upon her, "do you suppose that Mrs. Manning would ever consent to be my wife? She is so noble, and her presence is so helpful to me! I feel stimulated to do my best with her."

"I think anybody might be proud to marry you," said the warm-hearted friend, as the doctor blushed like a boy. "You could surely tell by asking," she said, archly. "I always felt that Providence had something in store for you when He let you see that a cultured mind was the necessary thing in a wife for you, rather than a pretty face."

"Ah, Susie's life has become very sad already," said Dr. Morton. "Mr. Genson is so dissipated that her mother told me she was to bring her daughter home at once with her child. Susie has feared for her life for months, but her pride kept her from telling her troubles. Her husband is a brilliant young fellow, but liquor had too strong a hold upon him before he knew Susie. She will obtain a divorce at once."

One evening, after Dr. Morton had read with Mrs. Manning those choicest love poems in our language, Mrs. Browning's "Sonnets from the Portuguese," he looked in her face and said, "If you but thought me worthy of you! Could you be happy with me, and let me take, in part, the place of your loved ones?"

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Methodist church, cor. Center and Wesley sts.; Rev. Fayette Nichols, pastor. Services at 10.45 and 7.30. Sunday-school after morning service.

Channing church (Unit.), cor. Vernon and Eldredge sts.; Rev. F. B. Hornbrook, pastor. Service at 10.45 a. m.

Elliot Congregational church, cor. Center and Church sts.; Rev. Wolcott Calkins, D. D., pastor. Morning service at 10.45; evening service, 1st and 3d Sundays of each month at 5 o'clock; all other Sundays at 7.30; Sunday-school at 9.30.

Grace church (Episcopal), cor. Eldredge and Church sts.; Rev. G. W. Shinn, D. D., pastor. Services at 10.45 and 7.30. Sunday-school at 9.30.

Church of Our Lady Help of Christians (Roman Catholic), Washington st.; Rev. M. Dolan, pastor. Masses 8.30 and 10.30; vespers at 3. Sunday-school at 9.15.

No. Evangelical church, Chapel st.; Rev. Wm. A. Lamb, pastor. Preaching at 10.45 and 7. Sabbath school at 3. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7.30.

NEWTONVILLE.

Methodist church, cor. Walnut st. and Newtonville ave.; Rev. R. F. Holway, pastor. Preaching at 10.45 Sunday-school at 12. Evening service, 7.30. Strangers are welcome.

Central Congregational church, cor. Washington st. and Central ave. Services at 10.45 and 7.30. Sunday-school at 12. Prayer-meeting at 6.30.

Universalist church, Washington park. Rev. Rufus A. White, pastor. Services at 10.45 a. m. and 6 p. m. All cordially invited.

New Church (Swedenborgian), Highland ave.; Rev. John Worcester, pastor. Service at 10.45, followed by Bible class. Sunday school at 3. All are welcome.

WEST NEWTON.

Second Congregational church, Washington st.; Rev. H. J. Patrick, pastor. Preaching, 10.45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 12. Young people's meeting Tuesday evening, and prayer and conference meeting Friday evening, both at 7.45.

Baptist church, cor. Washington and Perkins sts. Rev. O. D. Kimball, pastor. Preaching at 10.45 and 7. Sunday school at 12.10. Services Tuesday and Friday at 7.30.

Myrtle Baptist church, Auburn st., near Prospect. Rev. Jacob Burrell, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday-school at 2.45.

First Unitarian church, Washington st., near Highland. Rev. J. C. Jaynes, pastor. Services at 10.45.

AUBURNDALE.

Congregational church, Hancock st. and Wood and ave.; Rev. Calvin Cutler, pastor. Services 10.30 and 7.30. Sunday-school after morning service. Young people's meeting at 6.30. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.45.

Centenary Methodist church, Central st.; Rev. E. R. Watson, pastor. Services at 10.45 and 7.45. Sunday-school at 12. Young people's meeting at 7.45. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.45.

Church of the Messiah (Episcopal), Auburn st.; Rev. H. A. Metcalf, pastor. Sunday-school, 9; Holy Communion, 9.45 (except on first Sunday in month when at 12); Morning prayer and sermon, 10.45; evening prayer, 5.

NEWTON CENTER.

First Congregational church, Center st.; Rev. T. J. Holmes, pastor. Services at 10.30 and 7. First Baptist church, Center street. Services at 10.30 and 7. Sunday school at 3.

Unitarian Church, Rev. Horace L. Wheeler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30; Sunday School at 11.45; Pastor's Bible Class at 7.30 p. m.

Methodist church, Rev. Wm. I. Haven, pastor. Preaching at 10.30. Sunday-school and pastor's Bible class at 12. Bible readers' club at 4. Prayer meeting at 7. Preaching the first Sunday evening of each month.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

Congregational church, cor. Lincoln and Hartford sts.; Rev. George G. Phelps, pastor. Services at 10.30 and 7. Sunday-school at 11.45.

St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, Rev. Dean Richmond Balchitt, rector. Divine Services at 10.45 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Sunday School at 9.30 a. m. Seats free. Strangers always welcome.

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NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

Methodist Church, Summer st.; Rev. A. F. Herrick, pastor. Services at 10.30 and 2. Sunday school at close of morning service. Friday eve. meeting at 7.30.

Second Baptist Church, cor. Chestnut and Ellis sts. Preaching at 10.30 and 6.30. Sunday-school at 12. Friday eve. meeting at 7.30. Seats free.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

St. Mary's church (Episcopal), Concord st.; Rev. Wm. G. Wells, pastor. Sunday-school at 9.30. Services at 10.45 and 7.30.

Methodist church; Rev. J. Gill, pastor. Preaching at 10.45 and 7.30. Sabbath-school at 12. Prayer meeting at 6.30. Prayer-meeting Friday evenings.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—A new furnace has been put in to the Mason school-house.

—Mr. O. D. Homer and wife, and Miss Florence Homer, were at Fabyan's last Sunday.

—Hon. Robert R. Bishop and family are recreating on one of the islands in Portland harbor.

—The fall term of the Newton Theological Institution will open on Tuesday, Sept. 14th.

—Mr. Robert S. Gardner and family have returned from their visit at "The Argyle," St. Andrews, N. B.

—Mr. Levi C. Wade, president of the Mexican Central Railroad, is now in Mexico, looking after the interests of the road.

—Gardeners are selling pears, "Clapp's Favorite," at twenty-five cents a peck, and apples of different varieties at twenty-five cents a peck.

—Work is progressing on the Unitarian Church, but it will not be completed so that services can be held there until the second or third Sunday in September.

—Mr. H. T. Reed, formerly of Newton Highlands, has leased, and occupies with his family Mr. Horace Cousens' house on Willow street.

—Mr. Sydney G. Steves proposes to build two houses on his land on Elgin Terrace, recently purchased of Mr. Geo. S. Harwood of Newton.

—Fredrich H. Hovey, son of Dr. Alvah Hovey, Newton High School class of '86, is a member of the Freshman Class of Brown University.

—Prof. Heman Lincoln made the installation prayer at the installation of the Rev. R. N. Fairfax, as pastor of the 12th Baptist Church of Boston, Wednesday evening.

—The damage done by the spring floods at the intersection of Oak and Needham streets is nearly repaired, and the streets will be ready for travel in another week.

—Kendrick's bridge is being replaced and the piles have already been put in position. The new bridge will be two feet higher and 5 feet wider than the one carried away by the flood.

—At the fire in Newton Centre Saturday night, Dr. Sylvester abandoned his homeopathy and Dr. Dodge his allopathy, and united on hydropathy with results very gratifying to property holders and insurance companies.

—The members of steamer No. 3 were out for practice a few evenings since. They were able to place a hose-pipe from the engine house on Willow street, to the junction of Cypress and Centre streets, in three minutes.

—Miss Hattie Forbes, Centre street, enters Vassar College this year. She leaves for Poughkeepsie, N. Y., in a few days, with Miss Minnie Chester of the sophomore class. Miss Forbes is a graduate of the Newton High School.

—Rev. J. M. English is about to build, for his own residence, a dwelling-house on the lot which he purchased a year or two since, bounded by Beacon street, Crescent avenue and Pelham street. The excavation and foundation work are in progress.

—Rev. Dr. Cook led divine worship and preached at the Methodist Church on Sunday. At the Congregational Church, Rev. Dr. H. A. Stimson, formerly of Worcester, and now the successor of Rev. Dr. Goodell, late of St. Louis, Mo.

—Mr. H. E. Reed, who has lately taken up his residence here at the home of his father, Mr. H. T. Reed, Willow street, is engaged with the American Express Co. as messenger. His tri-weekly journeys between Boston and Buffalo amount to 1,527 miles.

—Prof. Heman Lincoln has a very interesting and instructive paper in this week's Congregationalist, entitled "Old Ideas under New Names." He exposes some popular fallacies in regard to what is called "the new theology," and the paper deserves to be widely read.

—The Village Hall Company have sold nearly two hundred shares of their stock at \$25 a share. They propose to purchase the present meeting-house, when the Baptist society is ready to replace it by a stone edifice. It has been estimated that the project of the company will require about five thousand dollars.

—At the Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. Bakeman of Chelsea supplied the pulpit in place of Rev. Dr. Judson, whose return from his journey to the Yosemite was unavoidably deferred. A telegram from him was read at the Friday evening meeting, stating that he would expect to be with the church on the evening of Friday, Sept. 2d.

—The large white pine tree near Mr. Wm. Morton's driveway, Cedar street, which was struck by lightning on the afternoon of the 12th, is to be taken down. The tree is one of a row of fourteen pine trees. It is about fifty years old, and measures four feet in circumference. The trunk in the tree begins at about ten feet from the top, and extends in a deep cut two or three inches wide and an inch deep to the ground.

—Rev. M. R. Deming, of Jamaica Plain, Secretary of the Boston Young Men's Christian Association, has leased and occupies with his family the southerly side of

Mr. Cousens' house on Lyman street. This house has been enlarged and refitted during the summer. Mr. Deming is a graduate of Brown University and of Newton Theological Institution. He has accomplished a grand work during the dozen or more years of his connection with the B. Y. M. C. A.

—Miss Emma D. Ellis, the talented pianiste, will receive her music pupils after September 15th.

—Rev. Theodore J. Holmes, pastor of the First Church, will occupy his pulpit on Sunday, Sept. 5th, having returned from his vacation.

—Rev. Dr. William Butler, founder of the Methodist Episcopal Missions in India and Mexico, will preach at the Methodist Episcopal Church, Sunday morning, Sept. 5th, and in the evening will speak on "Mexico" in the church.

—"Straight lines have a natural propensity for cutting everything that comes in their way," a shrewd remark of the Boston Transcript, illustrated in the recent survey of the northern line of Chase street. Thereby hangs a tale. Now that a compromise settlement of a long controversy has been effected, it is to be hoped that two other events may follow. 1st, a new faced wall and sidewalk in keeping with the neighborhood. 2d, the long talked of opening of Ripley street to the R. R. station.

—The Honolulu Friend for August mentions the arrival there of Dr. Pease and family, Miss Hemenway of Springfield, Miss Crosby of Georgetown, and Miss Smith of Newton Centre, all bound to Micronesia. Miss Hemenway and Miss Smith are to have a girls' boarding school at Kusaie, which is to be attended by pupils from the Marshall and the Gilbert Islands. This company sailed on the Morning Star from Honolulu July 24th. The vessel will be due in the same port in March, having sailed 17,000 miles.

—Mr. Dwight S. Moody's girls' school at Northfield is highly favored in securing one of Newton's trained and gifted young ladies to assist in its work. Miss Carrie J. Newell, Station street, has accepted the position of librarian and instructor in Latin. Miss Newell is a graduate of the Mason School, the Newton High School, and was a member of the first class at Wellesley College and graduated with the class. Northfield is on the east bank of the Connecticut River. It is 23 miles north of Amherst, and about 11 miles northeast of Greenfield. The centre of the town is called Northfield street. It is planted for a long distance with a double row of large elm trees, and is very spacious.

—Waban station has not yet "gone into commission" so that scenes like the following are common: A party of friends are returning to Boston from a day's excursion; the evening is dark; they gather on the platform. "Now, comrades," says the leader, "we must make ourselves as conspicuous as possible, so that the engineer will stop for us." All cast about in their minds to contrive such an attempt. Finally a gentleman says "Here is a circular of the Upper Falls Fire Works—that ought to burn!" So he prepares a torch of it, and, match in hand, waits for the headlight to appear; then he waves his flambeau, and thus brings the iron horse to a standstill, and the party mount the platform and are safely on their journey.

The Weirs' Stable Fire.

The very first hour of this week was one of alarm and fear, at the business centre of our village. At ten minutes past one the alarm was sounded from Box 73. The fire was then in full operation, having almost entire possession of the building. The second alarm was from Box 75, and brought additional help from other parts of the city. Steamer No. 3 was promptly at work, and was well handled; the Chemical Engine was placed near Mr. D. N. B. Coffin's stable. The buildings in this locality are situated so near each other, that had there been a strong wind, it would have been almost impossible to have prevented other structures from being destroyed. The stable of Dr. Dodge took fire twice, but was put out with but little damage. In saving this property Dr. Sylvester was, as the owner said, the man for the occasion. A large number of citizens were on the ground, and worked with a will. At Mr. Charles J. Holden's, and Mrs. John Morrison's, the household goods were partially removed. Almost nothing was saved from the stable, except one wagon. The worst feature of the fire was the burning of twelve horses. Of these, six belonged to Mr. Robert Weir, proprietor, which, with carriages, hay, and grain, is a loss of \$2000. Insurance, \$1,300.

Mr. I. R. Stevens, grocer, lost three horses and wagons. Loss, \$1000; insurance, \$500.

Mr. Albert H. Rhodes, of the firm of Rhodes, Ripley, & Co., Boston, now occupying Mr. Andrew T. Leatherbee's house, lost one horse and two carriages. \$600.

Mr. Chas. Grant lost one horse, buggy and carryall.

Mr. W. W. Sherman, clerk for A. A. Sherman, lost his horse and buggy. Insurance void, as he had placed it on the property when it was kept in another stable. Loss \$300 or \$400.

The building belonged to Mr. D. S. Farnham, and was valued at \$2000. Insured. Public opinion is strongly opposed to the erection of another building for stable purposes in this spot. It should not be permitted, and it is hoped that the city authorities will investigate the case, if application is made for permission to rebuild. Many years ago, when the stable was built, there were but few buildings near it; now the case is reversed, stores and dwelling-houses bound the spot on nearly every side.

The heat and light from the fire were intense for a short time, but at two o'clock all was over. The remains of the horses were removed on Sunday by the Brighton Abattoir Company.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mr. and Mrs. Phipps have returned from their vacation.

—A. O. Sweet has arrived from his sojourn in New Hampshire.

—D. C. Linscott, Esq., has removed to Boston.

—S. D. Whittemore and family, Hon. James F. C. Hyde and wife, and Mrs. S. C. Cobb, have returned to their homes.

—Mr. Bragdon has plans for a house upon Lake avenue near Hyde street, which will be built at once.

—The Rev. F. E. Cavanagh of Cambridge, Mass., preached at the Congregational church last Sabbath.

—Lyman L. Ross has sold his Walnut street house to Mr. Ward F. Johnson of Boston, who has moved into the same.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Clark, Jr., have returned from their visit to "The Old Man of the Mountains."

—Active work has commenced upon the foundation of the new depot, the gravel from the same being carted to the Hyde street extension.

—It is reported that the owners of the old base ball grounds will commence to build several houses as soon as the streets are constructed. One will be started at once on the Lincoln street extension.

—George E. Blake and family, who have resided here for the last three years, have taken up their residence in New York, where his business relations are. We regret to lose them from among us.

—Mr. Frank Hyde's collection of wild flowers, at last Saturday's Horticultural hall exhibition, was one of especial merit and received an award.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mrs. A. H. Green and daughter are on a visit to Concord, N. H.

—Carpenters have commenced the erection of a new barn for Mr. Willard Marcy, in place of the one destroyed by fire.

—Mr. J. A. Gould has gone on an extended trip, south as far as Washington and west as far as Minnesota, to be gone a number of weeks.

—It is reported that the Ellis rolling mill and paper mill has been sold and will be started up at once. If the report is true, Upper Falls is to have a big business boom.

—During the present week, the Methodist church has been holding special meetings. The pastor, Rev. John Peterson, has been assisted by Samuel Lidstone, an evangelist from Moody's training school.

—The new proprietors of the old Newton mills are nearly ready to start up one section of the mill, for the manufacture of silk yarns from waste. They expect to move their help here from the present mill in sections, and to be fully settled by the first of January next.

—Quite a delegation of our village people joined the Natural History Society of Newton on their excursion to Newport last Saturday. They returned late in the evening, with words of praise of their trip, the management of the party, and in fact everything connected with their day's enjoyment.

—Work on the approach to the Eliot station on the Circuit road has been commenced, and we hope it will be pushed forward to completion as rapidly as possible, and that we shall enjoy the comforts and privileges of a new depot before cold weather.

—On Tuesday morning of this week, Mrs. Mary Freeman, widow of the late Whipple Freeman, died very suddenly of heart disease, at her residence on Summer street. She was 81 years old, and a lady of remarkable vitality, retaining the use of all her faculties to an extraordinary degree to the very last. In her death, not only her immediate family, but the entire village, loses a good friend, a kind and sympathizing neighbor. She was one who was continually doing good, and her kind acts and pleasant words of advice and encouragement will be sadly missed by many. She was quietly laid at rest in the family lot in our beautiful cemetery, on Thursday afternoon.

Newton Natural History Society.

Those desiring to join the excursion to Lake Winnepesaukee and the White Mountains, are reminded that it is contingent upon a certain number deciding to go, and notifying Dr. J. F. Frisbie by Sept. 6th, that arrangements may be perfected for the trip. The programme as laid out is to Lake Winnepesaukee, Centre Harbor, up the Pemigewasset Valley to the Flume House, Profile House to the Mt. Pleasant House, near Fabyan's, down through the Crawford Notch to North Conway, and a two days stay at the Kearsarge House, then home by the Boston and Maine railroad—time, one week. Price of round trip tickets, \$25.00; this includes railroad fares and hotel bills. Any person wishing to join this excursion can do so by making application by Sept. 6th.

NEWTON FREE LIBRARY.**List of New Books.**

Barlow, W. H. Normal Phonography.	101.266
Brant, W. T., and Wahl, W. H., eds. Technochemical Receipt Book.	104.227
Browne, M. Chats about Germany.	32.348
Gage, W. L. A Leisurely Journey.	31.236
Gifford, S. N. Memorial of.	96.266
Hale, E. E. and S. Story of Spain [to 1886].	72.251
Hamlin, M. S. A Politician's Daughter.	64.1127
Humphrey, F. A. Children of Old Park's Tavern.	62.611
Lillie, L. C. Joe's Opportunity.	61.602
Morley, J. Critical Miscellanies. Vols. 2, 3.	53.294
Phillips, E. C. All the Russias.	32.349
Roberts, E. Santa Barbara, and around There.	31.235
Rossette, D. G. Dante and His Circle, with Italian Poets preceding Him. [1100-1300.]	53.295
Scudder, S. H. The Winnipeg Country; or Roughing it with an English Party.	31.237

Death of Mr. E. D. White.

Deacon Ebenezer D. White, formerly of Newton Centre, died on Thursday at Charlestown, where he has been living with his son, at the age of 88 years. The funeral will be held Saturday at 1 p. m., at his late residence, 11 Marion street, Charlestown, and the burial will be in the Centre street cemetery in this city. Mr. White was a brother-in-law of Mr. H. N. Hyde of Newton, and an uncle of Miss White, the postmistress at Newton Centre. He was born at Newton Centre, where his father was a prominent resident, and until thirty years ago he lived on what is now Ward street, where he owned a large farm, a portion of which is now owned by Mr. Ireland. Mr. White was a captain of the State militia, and took an active part in town affairs a half century ago, filling the office of selectman for many years. He was a prominent member of the Baptist church, which he joined 60 years ago, and was deacon of the Newton Centre church for a long period. As his father was a deacon in the Congregational church, the fact caused much good natured comment. About thirty years ago he sold his farm and purchased another much larger in Barre. This proved too great an undertaking, however, and he soon sold it and went to live with a son in Westboro'. At the latter's death, four years ago, he removed to Charlestown and resided with his only surviving son. Many of the old residents here remember him well, as his family was one of the most prominent in Newton fifty years ago.

Country Board for Teachers.

A somewhat interesting case is reported from one of the western towns of this State. The facts are understood to be briefly as follows: A young woman from the State of New York was engaged to teach the district summer school for a term of weeks at a weekly salary of seven dollars, and before her arrival arrangements were made for her board with the son of one of the trustees for seven dollars a week. The salary was quite liberal for the district, and the charge for board was likewise above what was paid in the town by summer visitors. When the new teacher arrived, and was informed of the arrangements kindly made for her accommodation she expressed a decided preference to select her boarding place for herself, and persisted in her determination even when told that her engagement as teacher depended on her compliance. Supported, however, by one of the trustees, she opened the school, but before the close of the first week the other two trustees succeeded in locking her out of the school house. Subsequently she was offered the position at the rate of six dollars a week if she would waive all claims for previous services, but she refused to waive her claims, or to accept a less salary than was originally offered. The interesting feature of the case is that the teacher is probably without legal remedy. In this State a school committee possesses full power to discharge a teacher at any moment, without previous notice, and without giving reason for its action; nor is this power restricted by any oral or written agreement that may have been made with the teacher. In the case in question, it is understood that a meeting of the taxpayers of the district has been called, and that the advice of Secretary Dickinson has been sought, with the purpose of making an effort to secure justice for the young woman who was unwilling to accept country board during the summer as an equivalent for her services in the school house. The trustee who sustained the teacher, it is said, promises some interesting revelations in respect to prices paid for fuel furnished by one of the trustees, and in reference to the general financial management of the district.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—A new furnace has been placed in Hose House No. 6.

—Foreman Early, of Hose 6, is at the Fireman's Convention at Pittsfield.

—The contract to rebuild the footbridge has been awarded to Adam Beck, and men are now at work on the same.

—Mr. H. P. Eaton is regrading the lawn in front of his house, which will add greatly to its appearance.

—The improvements on Washington street will probably not be finished this year, as the appropriation has fallen short.

Real Estate Conveyances.

The following recent changes in the ownership of real estate are reported:

Lenon Henry—B. F. Butler.....	\$186
Butler Benj. E.—N. V. Walker.....	1
Dunn Alice—M. Eneagess.....	415
Mackintire Geo. E.—A. A. Barker.....	1
Atwood Lewis L. P. et al.—M. Merriam.....	1
Atwood Lewis L. P. et al.—J. Thompson, 2.....	2
Atwood Lewis L. P. et al.—D. P. Sullivan, 2.....	2
Harwood Geo. D.—S. G. Steves.....	1
Grady Jas.—N. Lyford.....	2,000
McMillan Michl. et ux—J. Commons.....	310
Crowley Mary A.—J. Commons.....	1,100
Bourne Wm. P. by exor.—A. H. Wiggins.....	1
Warren Mary P.—H. F. Ross.....	1,427
Sheldon Wm. E.—J. K. Robertson.....	1,000
Warren Mary P.—M. H. Beal.....	2,065
Warren Mary P.—M. McGourty.....	1,899
Warren Mary P. et al.—J. C. Lenix.....	1,719
Warren Mary P. et al.—W. F. Kiernan.....	639
Warren Mary P. et al.—C. L. Hathaway.....	859

Chautauquans at Salem.

The Chautauquans who visited Salem Wednesday, constituted the literary and scientific class which will graduate in 1888. After leaving the Willows, they went to the custom house and visited the room where Hawthorne found the scarlet letter; thence to Hawthorne's birthplace, No. 21 Union street, and the Essex Institute, where the old First Church was inspected. In this structure, they sang one verse of "America." From here the party went to the Peabody Academy of Science, and were much interested in the collections of the East Indian Museum. Visits were also paid to the old

Roger Williams house, the North bridge, the scene of the bloodless battle between Col. Leslie's red coats and Parson Barnard's North Church congregation in 1775, and the court house, where the witchcraft mementoes were inspected. The members expressed themselves much pleased with their visit. Mr. Hayward, who gave the historical address in the morning, dealt mainly on the early settlers of ancient Naumkeag, with their troubles and persecutions, and their separation from the mother church.

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—Mr. W. Q. Ripley is now at Shirley Hill, N. H.

—Rev. Dr. Webb will preach at Eliot Church on Sunday.

—Mr. Walter Ellis is visiting friends in Manchester, N. H.

—Mr. Harry Jordan is stopping at the Wentworth House, Nantasket.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Ripley have returned from their visit to Osterville, Mass.

—The lamp over the new watering trough on Nonantum Square is being put up.

—Mr. W. P. Ellison and family have returned from their summer residence in Duxbury.

—Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke and family will return next week from their vacation at Bethel, Me.

—Mr. C. B. Fillebrown of Mt. Ida and his daughter have gone to northern Maine, on a fishing trip.

—Rev. Horace L. Wheeler of Newton Centre will preach at the Channing Church next Sunday Morning.

—Mr. Geo. L. Bullens, of the late firm of Hills, Bullens & Co., is now with Rand Avery & Co., Boston.

—City Treasurer Kenrick was a guest of the Boston Club at their Saturday dinner, at the Parker House.

—Mr. Chas. L. Davis, who has been at Harvard Law School, will continue his studies in the office of a prominent Worcester lawyer.

—Mrs. Margaret S. Pearson and her niece, Miss Mamie Solis, have returned from the Konohasset House to their home in this city.

—Mr. J. B. Goodrich and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Gross have returned from Cottage Park, Winthrop, where they passed the summer.

—The board of registration met on Wednesday to organize, and Mr. George E. Bridges was elected chairman, and Mr. I. F. Kingsbury clerk.

—Judge R. C. Pitman of this city was chosen one of the vice Presidents of the Prohibitory convention at Worcester on Wednesday. Rev. W. H. Daniels of this city was also chosen one of the committee on resolutions.

—H. W. Martin, the Watertown furniture dealer who is getting a large trade in Newton, has just finished a contract for upholstering and refitting the Methodist Church in Watertown, and has made a very handsome job of it.

—Mr. Albert Cutler, who lives on Maple Place, fell from a building at the Newton Cemetery on Tuesday, injuring his head and back so severely that he was insensible for several hours. He is now reported to be out of danger.

—Mr. A. R. Bailey of Boston has leased the house on Richardson street, owned by Dr. Field, and recently occupied by Dr. Sargent. The lease was made through Mr. Chas. F. Rand. One of the double houses Mr. Rand is erecting on the same street has also been leased to Mr. Chas. Leadbeater of Boston.

—There are several cases of typhoid fever in this city, but the physicians say that this is not unusual at this time of the year, as visitors to the shore and mountains are apt to bring home the germs of the disease. The unsanitary conditions at many country resorts often cause serious illness among the seekers after health.

—Mrs. Winslow, sister of Mrs. Charles Read, is visiting in the city, and last Sunday evening she was prevailed upon to give some account of her successful missionary work in India, to the guests at Hotel Hunnewell. She is an interesting speaker, and presented many facts in regard to missionary work and life in India, which kept the close attention of her audience.

—Mrs. Laura Estabrook was run over Thursday evening, on Washington street, near the end of the tunnel, by a horse and buggy driven by a young man. He did not stop to see the result of his carelessness. Mrs. Estabrook was injured about the shoulders and chest, but not seriously, although on account of her age the shock will prove a very severe one. She was taken to her home on Boyd street.

—Mr. Hugh Campbell led a Praise Service on Sunday afternoon last, at the grounds of the Newton Rank. The attendance was large. It was the last Y. M. C. A. meeting in the open air for this season. The singing was good, Mr. Campbell singing several solos. The cornet was a great help to the music, and has aided very materially in the success of the singing during the season. The meetings will hereafter

be held in Eliot Lower Hall every Sunday p. m. at 4 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

—The rain held off just long enough to allow the River Carnival to be held.

—The subject of Dr. Shinn's address in Grace Church on Sunday morning will be, "Some Sundays away from Home."

—Captain Houghton, Company C, Fifth Infantry, has been invited to take a Lieutenantcy in the Roxbury Horse Guards.

—Gen. A. B. Underwood of this city, ex-surveyor of the port, has opened a law office in the Minot building, Boston.

—Dr. H. M. Field was at home for a few days in the early part of the week, but he has returned to Littleton, N. H., to remain for a portion of September.

—Mrs. E. M. Springer and family arrived home from York Harbor, Me., early in the week, and were here to welcome Mr. Springer on his return from Europe.

—Judge Gardner and wife have returned from their vacation at Poland Springs to their home in this city. During the winter they will reside at the Brunswick, Boston.

—Solon F. Whitney of Watertown will organize his class fitting for the Institute of Technology on Monday, September 27. By special arrangement, pupils might begin later.

—Mr. Irving Smith of New York has leased through Mr. C. F. Rand, the house on Bennington street, owned by Granville Fuller, and recently occupied by Mr. J. H. A. Tappan.

—A meeting of the creditors of R. J. Renton, clothing dealer of this city, was held at the store of Hopkins, Corson & Rockwood, 62 Summer street, Boston, this (Friday) morning at 11 o'clock. The meeting was called by Renton's attorney, Geo. C. Bent.

—The cards are out for the marriage of Miss Shapleigh, of Germantown, Penn., sister of Mrs. J. R. W. Shapleigh of Mt. Ida, to Mr. Richard Shapleigh of Philadelphia. Although bearing the same name, they are only distantly related. The ceremony will take place in Grace Church, Sept. 22d, and Rev. Dr. Shinn will officiate.

—The Massachusetts Law Reporter this week gives the decision of Judge Field of the Supreme Court, in the case of Mary Keefe of Newton vs. the Boston & Albany Railroad. In the Superior Court, Judge Knowlton directed a verdict for the defendant, and the plaintiff alleged exceptions, which the Supreme Court sustains.

—Mr. Charles F. Rand has been urged to accept the position of Overseer of the Poor, made vacant by the death of Mr. Dexter Whipple. Mr. Rand filled the position for six years, and there is probably no other man who has a wider acquaintance in Newton. If he can be prevailed upon to accept, he would make an excellent official, but he hardly feels able to spare the time from his real estate business.

—At the annual drill of the 5th Regiment on Jarvis Field, Cambridge, the Clafin Guards had the right of the line, and had present three officers and 39 men. Newton officers on the staff were Lieut. Benyon, acting adjutant; Lieut. F. P. Barnes, quartermaster; A. C. Warren, quartermaster-sergeant. A number of Newton people were present to see the parade, which was reviewed by Mayor Russell of Cambridge and Col. William A. Bancroft.

—The Rev. Dr. Shinn and Mr. E. M. Springer reached home from their trip on Monday of this week. While away they visited parts of England, Scotland, Holland, Belgium, Germany, and France. They speak of their trip as being in every way most delightful. They met quite a number of Newton people abroad, Mr. and Mrs. Prescott, Dr. Calkins and family, Mrs. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Meachem, Mrs. Dewey, son and daughter, Mr. Leach, Mr. Bragdon and party, and others.

—The yacht Mabel left City Point at 8.30 a. m. last Saturday, for the Beverly Yacht Club race, and arrived off Marblehead at 12 o'clock, just as the gun was fired for the yachts to get into position. Although he did not have a full crew on board, on account of some misunderstanding about the hour of starting, Capt. Donkin pluckily entered the race with such men as he could pick up, and up to Half Way Rock the Mabel was in the front rank. After the turn the other yachts set their spinnakers and club topsails, but the Mabel required a full crew to manage so much sail with safety and so she fell behind. During the race the Mabel stood up as straight as a pole, while the other yachts had their decks half under water. After the return to Marblehead a full crew was secured, and on the way up to Boston Sunday afternoon, the Mabel spread her club topsails and sailed away from all her rivals. With a full crew the friends of the Mabel are

confident that she would have taken the second prize, at least.

—Mr. W. J. Farquhar has entered the senior class at Phillips Exeter Academy.

—Rev. Henry G. Spaulding is spending September at Elliot's Hotel, Waterville, N. H. with his family.

—The Channing Sunday School will resume its sessions one week from next Sunday, September 19th.

—The first rehearsal of the choir of Eliot Church after the summer vacation, will be held at 8 p. m. Saturday evening.

—The wills of the late Henry L. Stone and James A. Fillebrown of this city, were probated at East Cambridge on Wednesday. Letters of administration were granted on the estates of the late Chas. S. Philipps, and Dexter Whipple.

—The Newton Baptist Sunday School held its annual picnic at Lily Point Grove, Waltham, on Tuesday. The party to the number of 130 went in barges to Waltham, and from there to the Grove by the Steamer White Swan, arriving about 10 o'clock. A large number of row boats were at the disposal of the picnickers, the greater part of whom were children. A bountiful dinner was provided and duly appreciated. Boating and out door games filled the hours till 4.30, when the party left for home. These picnics are always red letter days for the children of the school.

Death of George S. Trowbridge.

Mr. George S. Trowbridge died about 5 o'clock, Thursday morning, having been confined to the house only a few weeks. He had suffered excessively during his illness, but passed away peacefully and quietly. His death will be sincerely mourned, as he was one of the best known men in the city, having always been active in church work, and in musical circles, where his social qualities made him a great favorite. He had not been in good health for some months, and on that account had been compelled to relinquish many of his social duties, but it was hoped that a rest of a few months would bring about a change for the better. The disease from which he suffered, cancer on the liver, baffled the skill of physicians, and after he gave up his duties at the Natick bank it made rapid progress.

Mr. Trowbridge belonged to an old Newton family, and was related to many prominent citizens. His father was the late Otis Trowbridge, who resided on the corner of Washington and Jewett streets, the house now occupied by Mrs. M. J. Hart. He was born on the 28th of July, 1843, and was one of three sons. Educated in the Newton schools, he first entered upon his business career as a clerk for J. R. Nichols & Co., afterwards with Messrs. Gilman Bros. chemists, on Congress street, Boston. Here he won the confidence of his employers, and after a few years he was engaged as book-keeper in the Everett National Bank, where he spent his spare time in studying banking methods, and acquired such a reputation that when the Natick National Bank was talked of, his services were desired as cashier. He had a good deal to do with the organization of the bank, and has held the same position ever since. His business habits were very regular, and every morning he went up on the 7.15 train, and nearly always came back at a certain time in the afternoon, so that he became well known to all the regular passengers on those trains. He also held the office of Treasurer of the Natick Horse Railway Company, and Treasurer of the Lewis Engraving Company of Boston, two quite responsible positions. In Eliot Church, of which he had been a member since early youth, he was always ready to act when called upon, which was not seldom, and there he will be specially missed. He was Deacon of Eliot church, also clerk and treasurer of the parish, having been re-elected year after year, and has held the office of superintendent of the Sabbath School until two years ago, when he resigned, but retained the position of superintendent of the primary department. He was fond of children, and an enthusiastic teacher of music, and the excellent singing in the Sunday school of the church is in a large measure due to his efforts. He also went every Monday night, for a number of years, to the Pine Farm School at West Newton, where he drilled the children in singing, the work being entirely a labor of love. He was also a member of the Congregational Sunday School Superintendents' Union, and at a recent meeting his serious illness was spoken of with great regret by many. He published a large number of musical pieces for Sunday School concerts, and also questions for the primary department, under the auspices of the Union. He was also one of the founders of the Newton Musical Society. In the Eliot Church Choir his voice will be greatly missed, as he was always present, and his fine voice aided much in the singing. His wife, who was Miss Clafin of Hopkinton, survives him, and he leaves no children. Since his marriage he has resided on Peabody street, where he had built a very pleasant residence. Only one of his brothers, Mr. Eliot Trowbridge, of this city, survives him, Mr. Otis Trowbridge having died a few years ago.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, Peabody street, Saturday, at 1 p. m. There will be a memorial service at Eliot church on the return of the pastor, Rev. Dr. Calkins.

THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

The board of aldermen held its first session after the summer vacation on Monday evening; Mayor Kimball presided, and Aldermen Powers, Nickerson, Pettee, Dearborn, Grant and Mason were present. The first business was the reading of the minutes of the last two meetings, which were approved.

A communication from City Marshal Hammond was received, stating that the foundations of a small building on Boylston street, Ward 5, near the railroad, were insecure, and the building threatened to tumble down upon those who passed along the road. The building belonged to Mrs. E. L. Collins. Chief Bixby also sent in a communication concerning the building to the same effect. Alderman Pettee said that the railroad company undermined the building when they cut down the road for their bridge, and the owner was hoping to get damages and so had done nothing. The city would be held responsible, however, if any accident should happen, and he moved that the mayor be authorized to notify the owner and have the matter attended to. The motion passed.

Mr. Andrew Peters sent in a communication stating that the city had polluted the waters of Cheesecake brook, which ran through his premises, and made it unfit for cattle to drink, or to use for domestic purposes, as he formerly had done, thereby causing him much inconvenience and putting him to great expense, as he kept a large number of cattle. He wished to be compensated for these damages, and asked for a hearing on the matter. The case was referred to the committee on claims.

A. N. Mosher was granted an honorary discharge from No. 3 Engine Company, and W. B. Polley was appointed to fill the vacancy. Alderman Powers from the committee on fuel and street lamps reported in favor of granting the request of petitioners for a street lamp at the intersection of Walnut street and the B. & A. railroad at Newtonville, one at Walnut Park, and one at the corner of Unity street and Lake avenue in Ward 5. An order was accordingly passed for their erection. E. G. Johnson and others, who asked for lamps on Crafts street, were granted leave to withdraw.

A petition was received from the residents of Station street, Ward 6, for the erection of three street lamps on the street. Referred to the lamp committee.

Alderman Mason read a communication from the fire department recommending that a signal box be put up at the corner of Centre and Beacon streets, Newton Centre.

D. S. Farham asked for permission to rebuild the livery stable recently destroyed by fire at Newton Centre, the building to be constructed of brick; referred to license committee.

Alderman Nickerson presented an order for the lowering of the grade of Cliff street.

H. F. Ross received permission to remove three buildings from Russell court, Ward 2, to Clyde street.

ELECTRIC LIGHT IN NEWTON.

A petition was received from the Newton Electric Light and Power Company for leave to erect poles and run wires for the purpose of transmitting electricity to furnish light and power through the principal streets of the city. The starting point is at Washington street, Newtonville, thence to West Newton, to the Woodland Hotel, to Newton Lower Falls and Auburndale; also from Newtonville to the corner of Washington and Centre streets, to Newton Centre, Beacon street to Walnut, to Newton Highlands, and Walnut street to Newtonville; Church street, Tremont to division line of Boston and Newton; Walnut street and Watertown to division line between Newton and Watertown; Gale street and Centre street, and through Gale street to division line. The petition was signed by Horace B. Parker, president, and Horace B. Parker, A. R. Mitchell, H. F. Ross, George W. Morse, directors. It was referred to committee on license.

NEWTON STREET RAILWAY.

A petition was received from the Newton Street Railway Company for leave to construct a main line and operate a street railway, with single or double tracks, from near the northerly side of the Boston & Albany railroad, in Newton Centre, near the railroad station, thence through Institution avenue, Beacon and Walnut streets, to Newtonville, thence through Washington and Auburn streets to Auburndale; also from Newtonville through Washington street to Newton, and through Park and Tremont streets to the Boston line; also from the junction of Auburn and Washington streets to Woodland station on the Circuit railroad, and from the junction of Walnut and Beacon streets to the railroad station at Newton Highlands. The petition is signed by H. B. Parker, president, and G. W. Morse and L. G. Pratt, directors. A hearing was granted the petitioners before the board of aldermen on Monday evening, September 20, at 7:30 o'clock, and the hearing is advertised in the local papers, so that all citizens may appear if they desire.

OTHER MATTERS.

No one appeared at the hearing on the laying out of Kingsbury street, Chestnut Hill, a new street running southwesterly from Hammond street. An order was passed for the laying out, grading and acceptance of the street by the city, and it was stated that there were no damages and no awards.

A communication was received, stating that on account of the death of Mr. Dexter Whipple a vacancy existed in the board of Overseers of the Poor, and also in the office of assistant assessor of Ward 1. A motion was passed that a committee, to consist of one alderman and two members of the council, at that board should designate, be appointed to fill the vacancies. Mayor Kimball appointed Alderman Dearborn as the member of the committee from the board of aldermen.

A communication was received from Thomas Hall of Auburndale, and some twenty others, stating that as the water in the Charles river grew less and less every year, and residents along the banks suffered from the effluvia and disagreeable smells arising from the muddy deposits on the exposed portions of the stream, something ought to be done about the matter, and such a condition of things should no longer be permitted. The state board of health ought to be called to the danger to health resulting from the present condition of things, if it could be remedied in no other way, and it was asked that some immediate action be taken by the city. The petition was referred to the board of health of the city.

Building petitions were received from Willard Marcy, to erect a stable on Chestnut street, Ward 5; from George A. Ward, to erect a dwelling house on the corner of Centre and Ward streets; from Chas. F. Rand, to erect a building in rear of post office, Ward 1, to be used as a tin shop; also from the same for the erection of two houses on Richardson street; from Lincoln B. Stone, to erect a dwelling house on Vernon street; from John Beal, to erect a building 40 by 40 on Washington street, Newtonville, for stores; and from John Staples, to erect a house on Homer street, Newton Centre; from Wm. Pettigrew, to alter a building on private way off Maple street; from the same to erect a house on Hammond street for C. C. Burrage. All were referred to the committee on license.

Martin O. Luffie was granted a license as auctioneer.

Alderman Nickerson presented an order, which was passed, for the payment of \$25 to the Newton

Cemetery Corporation, for the setting out of trees on the Roberts estate, the sum to be charged to the miscellaneous expenses.

Alderman Mason presented an order, which was passed, granting the free use of the City Hall to the Newton Horticultural Society on September 21, 22 and 23.

Alderman Grant reported an order for the addition of the sum of \$2,081.23 to the appropriation for schools, the income from the dog tax of 1885.

An order was passed that the city treasurer be authorized to advance to City Solicitor Slocum the sum of \$200, to cover expenses for suits, incurred and to be incurred, and for other legal expenses, the same to be taken from the miscellaneous fund.

A communication was received from Mr. Edward Hills, stating that the Lemon brook, in the rear of his premises, was in a bad condition. The walls had been undermined by the spring floods, the course was impeded, the flow of water was sluggish, and there was a bad odor from the brook. During heavy rains the brook overflowed and did great damage. He asked that the brook be attended to; referred to committee on drains and culverts.

John J. Gavin was appointed weigher of coal and measurer of wood and bark.

The committee on license granted permission to the Nonantum Worsted Company to move a building from Bridge street to California street.

A number of small bills were read and approved, after which the board adjourned for two weeks.

September Magazines.

A better number of the Atlantic than that for September the regular reader of the magazines will seldom find. It has just enough of the various kinds of literature to make it attractive to every one. Rebecca Harding Davis has a pretty sketch of Canadian life, with a touch of the supernatural in it. Mr. Bradford Torrey, the author of "Birds in the Bush," has a paper on the "Confessions of a Bird's-Nest Hunter." There is a clever study, "The Saloon in Politics," which shows what a factor the saloon is in our political questions, written by George Frederic Parsons. Mr. Frank Gaylord Cook contributes a paper on "The Law's Partiality to Married Women."

Philip Gilbert Hamerton's second paper, in his series "French and English," Thomas Wentworth Higginson's estimate of the late E. P. Whipple, and the able reviews of Schuyler's "American Diplomacy" and the second volume of "Grant's Memoirs," are of great interest to the literary reader. Mr. Fiske's article, "The Paper Money Craze of 1786," will prove agreeable reading; and there are installments of Bishop's "Golden Justice" of Miss Murfree's "In the Clouds" and of Henry James, "The Princess Casamassima," now drawing to an exciting climax. There is, also, some excellent poetry, together with the usual departments of brief criticism and the Contributors' Club. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.

The September Overland opens with a striking story of the Bret Harte school, called "The Lone Woman of Keya Pah Mountain," by a new writer, John Milton Hoffman. His future work will be looked for with interest. The other fiction of the number is a long story of Oregon or Washington Territory, called Janet Craig, and introducing a very lovable heroine; and an installment of the dramatic Mexican serial in which the two principal characters, Chata and Chinita, make their advent upon the stage prepared for them by the previous chapters. The vividness with which the various occupations, classes, talk, and behavior of a Mexican hacienda are brought before the reader's eyes, is remarkable; we believe no such study of Mexican life has ever found its way into literature. There are also several notable sketches in this number of The Overland; chief among them, an account of the ascent of Tacoma, by George Bayley, of Oakland, who tells the story, and P. B. Van Trump and James Longshore, of Washington Territory. The account of this piece of mountain work, scarcely to be rivalled in this country, is a most interesting one. "A Mogul Indian Fete" (an account of the Snake Dance), "Beer Drinking in Germany," and "Some Japanese Folk Lore," are also entertaining sketches. The poetry of the number is of noticeably high character.

In The Century for September large space is given to the sketches of the battles of the civil war, and the pictures accompanying them are fully up to the high standard of the whole series. But the attractions of this month are rather in the fine article, entitled "A Summer with Liszt in Weimar," and in the illustrated sketches of ballooning which are furnished by Mr. Alfred E. Moore and Mr. John G. Doherty. The article on Liszt is particularly seasonable, and furnishes just the kind of information about him that the public is eager for at the present moment. The illustrations are a special feature of the article, and the letter press is as interesting as a romance. There is also a very fresh feeling about the experiences of the balloonists, which are here recorded. Two other articles are worthy of special mention, "A Glance at the Arts of Persia," by Mr. S. W. G. Benjamin, and "The Zoological Station at Naples," by Miss Emily Nunn Whitman. The poetry of the number is excellent. Among the "Topics of the Time" is a bright and suggestive article on "Marriage, Divorce and the Mormon Problem." There is also much other readable matter, in the story of Mr. Stockton, in Mr. Howells' installment of "The Minister's Charge," and in the "Open Letters" and the "Broabrac." The number is a brilliant one, but its contents are not so varied as is often the case. [The Century, September, New York: The Century Co., Union square.]

The September Wide Awake is enriched with a very strong and interesting frontispiece by Sandham which illustrates a Mexican poem by F. L. Stealey, entitled "Los Companeros." The opening story, an aspirated piece of work, by G. Hamlen, "When Book Meets Book," is a salutary tale to be read by both children and their parents. Hon. S. S. Cox, U. S. Minister to Turkey, contributes a long and easy article upon "L'Enfant Terrible Turk," which is fully illustrated from Turkish photographs. Mrs. Sherwood in "Royal Girls and Royal Courts," writes of the royal young folks at Sandringham, and Mrs. Fremont in her "Souvenirs" relates some interesting things about the Austrian Empress, and Prince Hohenlohe, and some ideal inns in the

Tyrol. There are also a large number of other articles by prominent writers, which make this a brilliant number. D. Lothrop & Co., Publishers.

St. Nicholas, for September, has "Stories of Art and Artists; English Painters," by Clara Esbrius Clement; Chapter V. of Rose Lattimore, Ailing's "Nan's Revolt;" "A Lake George Capsize," with three apt illustrations, by as many different artists, by Edward Eggleston; The conclusion of "A Rocky Mountain Hermit," by Alfred Terry Bacon; the continuation of Horace E. Scudder's "George Washington," "Work and Play for Young Folks," by Charles G. Leland; "Jack in the Pulpit" has its usual interesting correspondence and comment. The frontispiece, "The Connoisseurs," after Sir Edwin Landseer, is an engraving of rare charm. [The Century Co., New York.]

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References by permission to Rev. Dr. Peabody, L. R. Williston, Esq., Prof. Wm. H. Niles, Alfred Hosmer, M. D., and Rev. E. A. Rand. One or two girls might be received as members of the family. 4t 45

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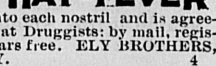
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A CURIOUS CHARTER.

The charter granted to the Newton Street railway is quite a curiosity in its way. Some who have studied its provisions carefully say that it gives the company full power to go ahead and lay a double track through any of the streets named in it, without regard to any action the board of aldermen may take. The provision in the charter that the railroad corporation may, "subject to the approval and under the control of said board" of aldermen, construct, maintain and operate a street railway on the streets named, gives them a good deal of power.

The Marblehead water company had a similar charter, empowering them to lay pipes through certain streets, and the city government of Lynn refused them permission to use a certain street. The company went ahead and laid their pipes on that street, and the city government in vain tried to procure an injunction. The case was carried to the Supreme court, and Judge Holmes decided that the company had not exceeded the power given them by their charter.

In the Newton charter there is a clause inserted, about whose effect the lawyers are not agreed. This clause reads, "as provided by general law," and it was inserted in order to make the railroad company subject to the board of aldermen. Whether it does so or not is the question. There are good arguments presented on both sides, so that the matter is in doubt. It is said to be a rather extraordinary proceeding to have inserted in the charter the streets through which a road is to run, and possibly the question may have to be taken into the courts before the dispute can be settled.

The company evidently desire to be on the safe side, and so have asked the board of aldermen for a hearing, but there is little probability of the board's refusing its permission for the road to pass through any of the streets named, especially when there is a possibility that its action is in any case only a matter of form.

THE CHICAGO CONVENTION.

The list of Massachusetts delegates to the Anti-Saloon Republican Convention at Chicago, is a proof that some earnest work will be done in behalf of the temperance cause, and that wisdom and not fanaticism will characterize the doings of the Massachusetts delegates, at least. Newton is ably represented by Hon. Robert R. Bishop and Rev. Heman Lincoln, two of the best men that could have been chosen. The latter has had some experience in practical politics, and his bold and trenchant letters to the Boston Journal have proved him an able thinker, not only on moral but on political questions. There is no fear of his dodging a troublesome issue. Mr. Bishop's action at the recent anti-saloon convention at Boston, shows that he has the courage of his convictions, as he did not sign the call and then run away, as a number of other prominent Republicans did. He was present at the convention, and if the attendants had been in a listening mood, his wise counsel would have brought forth something practical for the temperance cause. But most of the other talkers present had some little patent remedy which they wished the meeting to adopt, and nothing was accomplished. If other States send a delegation equal in character and ability to ours, there can be no doubt but that the convention will be productive of great good.

JUDGE THAYER'S CRITICISM.

Judge Adin Thayer's remarks at the meeting of the Massachusetts Club last Saturday have been widely discussed and criticised. For some reason or other the speaker did not seem to feel absolute freedom, and his remarks were rather disappointing in that respect, although he said enough to show what a sensation he might have made had he not felt some restraint. His remarks about the mistake made by old men who absented themselves from the councils of the party because they thought younger men should take their place, and that, on the other hand, the young men thought there was some sort of a conspiracy to keep them from promotion, were suggestive of much more than was said. His remarks about the "delight the people feel in the advent of a young man who has qualified himself for the duties of statesmanship" had rather a sarcastic air, when contrasted with what he said about the evils of "personal followings" in the Republican party. He was very frank in denouncing secrecy in politics, and his warmth upon

the subject suggested that he had not been admitted to the inside of some of the present political movements. The supporters of Congressman Long in particular appear to have been somewhat nettled by his remarks, but it would be wise for them to heed his suggestions. Judge Thayer has not been a political leader so many years without acquiring a good deal of practical wisdom.

COUNTY POLITICS.

Middlesex County politics promise to be more than ordinarily interesting this fall, as a Sheriff, Clerk of Courts, District Attorney and County Commissioner are to be elected. We understand that the present incumbents of all these offices desire a re-election. It is likely that most of them will be re-nominated without much, if any, opposition. We are, however, strongly of opinion that there should be a new District Attorney. The office is perhaps the most important—certainly as important as any to be filled by the next election—and the present incumbent has not the full confidence of that part of the public which is conversant with the business of the office. We intend by this no reflections on the honesty of the District Attorney, but something more than honesty is needed in that place. Breadth of mind sufficient to grasp the often loose and incomplete evidence which the police authorities are bound to submit in their prosecution of a criminal case, sagacity and penetration sufficient to compare and digest such evidence, courtesy and readiness to attend to that which may be offered by those engaged in the thankless and disagreeable duty of detecting a crime, are all qualifications to be possessed by the public prosecutor. We think a successor to the present officer may be found who would have these qualities, together with unimpeachable integrity.

The Prohibitionists of the state have held their convention, and nominated a state ticket. They say that they mean business this time, and hope for 15,000 votes this year. They received \$2,300 for campaign work, of which Judge Pitman of this city contributed \$250, and nominated Mr. Lothrop of Taunton as their candidate for governor, Dr. Blackmer of Springfield for lieutenant governor, and the balance of last year's ticket were renominated. Judge Pitman was appointed a member of the committee at large, and George L. Bean a member for Middlesex county. The resolutions are somewhat milder than usual, and the Prohibitionists have evidently learned wisdom from the other parties, as their platform contains a plank aimed to catch the labor vote. Both political parties are denounced, and one of the speakers explained that it made no difference to them which party was in power. Woman suffrage receives a mild endorsement, Mormonism is denounced, and a resolution is inserted stating that a belief in prohibition is the only test for admission to the party. The prohibitionists evidently are afraid of the anti-saloon movement in the Republican party, for they denounce it in advance, and charitably say that the men behind it are hypocrites, or words to that effect.

CONGRESSMAN LONG has been in Maine this week and made a speech at Portland which contained some assertions that may prove beneficial to his campaign for a seat in the national Senate. He explained his support of Mr. Blaine in the last presidential campaign by saying that he "did not urge his election on personal grounds, or from a conviction of his personal qualities, but upon the great fundamental ground of a regard for the principles of the Republican party." If, as some papers assert, the mugwumps are opposed to Mr. Long, they ought to be convinced of the error of their ways after this, particularly as Mr. Long took pains to declare that he "was not ashamed to declare" that he was an advocate of the reform of the Civil Service, which he believed to be one of the two great issues now before the country, the other being protection. Mr. Long is certainly a growing man, and one of the most intelligent of public men. His declarations in his Portland speech will take all the wind out of Dr. William Everett's sails, and render it impossible for that eminent gentleman to again contest the Hingham district, as both men would have to stand on the same platform.

COLLECTOR SALTONSTALL means that the President's letter to federal office holders shall be observed in the Boston Custom House, as each clerk has to sign a statement that he has read it, and therefore can not plead ignorance as an excuse for violating it.

"Music and the Dram" was the rather startling heading that appeared over the Traveller's theatrical column the other evening. There was no description of the Music Hall promenade concerts in the list either.

COUNCILLOR JOHN HASKELL BUTLER is evidently not going to have a walkover in his race for a re-election. Hon. Robert O. Fuller of Cambridge is being mentioned as a candidate, and there are a number of others who would be willing to take the office.

Ernest G. Loomis.

In our last week's issue we referred to the sudden death of Ernest G. Loomis, but the brief notice we were then able to give of the sad event, was altogether inadequate to express the general sorrow felt throughout Newtonville. A personal friend of the deceased sends the following tribute to his memory:—

Few young men have inspired so many personal friendships, or have been so generally popular among their associates. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, at his father's residence on Lowell street, and were largely attended. Rev. R. H. Holway, pastor of the church of which the deceased was a member, paid a beautiful tribute to his character and life, both of which were of singular purity and rectitude. He had long been known as a young man of frank, affectionate disposition, always ready with a hearty greeting for every one, always affable and cheerful, but it was not until after his death that it was fully realized how promising and well equipped for life he was. Those who shared his intimacy found him possessed of a training and an aptitude that were the sure guarantee of future success in life. Few suspected the interest he took in all the great topics of the day, and how well informed he was on questions usually outside of the knowledge or concern of young men. Occasionally a thoughtfully written article in the daily or local papers, could be traced to him, revealing a cultured quality of mind that was the very antithesis of his outward vivacity and humor. This tendency to acquire a knowledge of substantial subjects, was often observed in his contributions to the literary societies with which he was prominently connected. These qualities of mind, combined with those graces of character we have already alluded to, endeared this young man to all who knew him, and accounted for the sincere grief so universal in the circle in which he moved. Although the loss is irreparable, yet memory has its riches as well as life, and the recollection of the blameless life of Ernest G. Loomis will always remain with us as a legacy.

The Waltham River Carnival.

The long expected river carnival has come and passed, and was a greater success than was suspected. The river banks on both sides were crowded with people, and every available craft was on the river. The decorations were brilliant, and the river was a pathway of fire. Every one in Newton and from all the cities around seemed to be on the spot. The distinguished guests were all present; and Waltham did itself credit by its hospitality and generous display. In Newton the chief point of interest was Hon. R. M. Pulsifer's beautiful grounds at Islington, where the Newton Boat Club gave a lawn party, and made a brilliant display of fireworks, besides having music from the Germania band. About four hundred boats were in the procession, and Capt. Churchill brought home one of the prizes. The affair was a very enjoyable one, and the Boston morning papers seem to have used up their whole stock of adjectives in describing it.

The Hunnewell Avenue Auction.

There was a large attendance at the Atwood & Weld auction sale, Wednesday afternoon, of house lots on Hunnewell avenue, adjoining the estate of Mr. Henry Clafin. The sale was as successful as the firm's auction sales always are, and the lots brought good prices. The two lots on the corner of Hunnewell Avenue brought 22 and 25 cents a foot respectively. Andrew Cassidy buying the first, and M. C. Mayo the second. Lot No. 3 was bought by Mr. Cassidy for 17 cents; 4 and 6 by Mr. Mayo at 17 and 15 cents respectively; No. 5 by Andrew George for 16 1/2; No. 7 by W. C. Franklin for 14; No. 8 by Mr. Cassidy for 11 1/2; No. 9 by Mr. Mayo for 10 7/8; No. 10 by Mr. Franklin for 10 1/4, and No. 11, the large lot at the head of the street, by Mr. Mayo for 9 cents.

Newton Cottage Hospital.

There are under treatment in the Cottage Hospital the following cases: In the surgical ward, James Eagan of Norantum, with broken leg; John Redmond of West Newton, with wound over one eye, broken wrist and sprained ankle, occasioned by a fall of forty feet.

In the medical ward, Delia McCarthy, and Edward Huth of Newton Centre, and Mary McClusky of Auburndale; the first two with typhoid fever.

Messrs. Raymond & Whitcomb's October Tours.

Messrs. Raymond & Whitcomb have planned three more delightful excursions in their autumn series. One party will leave Boston September 27, and visit Harrisburg, Pa., the battle-field of Gettysburg, the Blue Ridge of Maryland, Luray Caverns, the Natural Bridge of Virginia, the famous White Sulphur Springs, Harper's Ferry and Washington. Another, leaving Boston October 4, has Niagara Falls as its chief objective point; and a third includes a six days' round, with visits to Rutland, Vt., Saratoga, Albany, and New York. There will be in connection with the latter excursion a trip down the picturesque Hudson River and a sojourn of two days in New York. These tours will combine many special features, which will render them exceedingly attractive. The Niagara Falls party will travel both ways in sleeping-cars, and have two and a half days at its disposal at the Falls. Circulars regarding these trips, and also the excursions to California, may be obtained of W. Raymond, 296 Washington street, opposite School street, Boston.

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In Newton, Sept. 8th, by Rev. T. O. Paine, Miss Flora Bell Hall to Arthur Joseph Mundy, both of Newton.

In Waltham, Sept. 1, by Rev. J. M. Avann, Miss Mary M. Martin of Waltham, to Walter Clarence Fuller of Newton.

In West Newton, Aug. 30, by Rev. L. J. O'Toole, Ellen Mahoney to Daniel Horgan.

In East Boston, Sept. 1st, by Rev. Geo. M. Bodge, Miss Mary R. Marshall, of East Boston, to C. L. Litchfield of Newton.

DIED.

In Newton, Sept. 8, Abraham Perry, aged 76 years.

In Newton, Sept. 7, Edna, daughter of Samuel and Elmita Veno, aged 3 mos.

In Newton Centre, Sept. 6, Francis R., son of David F., and Anna Cook, aged 1 yr., 10 mos., 1 d.

In Newton Upper Falls, Sept. 4, Miss Charlotte L. Wheeler, aged 51 yrs., 11 mos., 17 dys.

In Newtonville, Sept. 3d, Ernest G. Loomis, aged 25 yrs., 10 mos.

LOST.—A female Fox Terrier, black and white, with tan face and bob tail; answers to the name of "Beauty." A liberal reward will be paid for her return to O. B. LEAVITT, Newtonville.

\$25 REWARD.—For the knowledge of the person or persons who entered upon the premises of Mr. James White, at Newton Highlands, Monday and Tuesday nights last, and destroyed twenty-five or more melons.

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, at the next regular meeting, on Monday Evening, Sept. 20th, at 7:30 o'clock, hear all parties upon the petition of the Newton Street Railway, for leave to "construct, maintain, and operate a street railway, with single or double tracks, and with convenient and suitable turnouts and switches, from near the northerly side of the Boston and Albany Railroad, in that part of Newton called Newton Centre, near the railroad station; thence westerly through Institution avenue to Beacon street; thence westerly through Beacon street to Walnut street; thence northerly through Walnut street to Washington street; thence westerly through Washington street and Auburn street to that part of Newton called Auburndale; and also from the corner of said Walnut and Washington streets easterly through Washington street to that part of Newton called Newton Corner; also, from a point on Bowers street, in Newtonville, near the railroad station, through Bowers street to Walnut street, to connect with the proposed line on Walnut street."

"Also, from about the point of intersection of said proposed line with the track of the Cambridge Railway at said Newton Corner, along said Washington street, crossing the Boston and Albany Railroad to Park street; thence along Park street to Tremont street; thence along Tremont street to the dividing line between said City of Newton and City of Boston; also, from the junction of said Auburn street and Washington street along said Washington street to a point near the junction of said Washington street with the Circuit Railroad, so called, of the Boston and Albany Railroad; also, from the junction of said Beacon street and Walnut street southerly along said Walnut street to a point near the railroad station in that part of Newton called Newton Highlands."

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen, I. F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given that the Registrars of Voters for this City will meet at the City Hall, on Wednesday Evening, September 15th, 1886, from 7:30 to 9 o'clock, to make the Register of Voters, as required in Sec. 16, Chap. 298, Acts of 1884.

The Voting Lists of last year will be used as the basis of said Register.

By order of the Board, I. F. KINGSBURY, Clerk.

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NEWTONVILLE.

—Mrs. E. G. Tewksbury of Manchester, N. H., is in Newtonville.

—Mr. William T. Vose and family have returned from Plymouth.

—Miss Florence Hoogs and mother will spend the winter in Florida.

—Mrs. John L. Roberts is rusticated among the Adirondacks.

—Miss A. M. Beecher is at Breezy Point, N. H.

—Mr. N. H. Chadwick and family have returned from their stay in Bradford, Vt.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Keene have returned from Breezy Point to their apartments at Mrs. G. F. Kimball's.

—Mr. Shepard Crain goes to Bethlehem tomorrow. We hope he may soon regain his health and strength.

—Dr. E. A. Whiston and family have returned from Cohasset, where they passed the month of August.

—It is asserted that E. S. Colton sells more daily and weekly newspapers than any other newsdealer in the city.

—Charles Ward Post elected A. T. Sylvester commander, and S. S. Whitney senior vice commander, at its special meeting Thursday evening.

—Some of the little people of the Congregational Society spent a happy day, Wednesday, upon the grounds of Miss Wiliston's school, in Auburndale.

—Mrs. E. W. Redpath and family, who have spent the summer at Magnolia and the mountains, have returned to Ellismont, their home.

—It seemed pleasant to see the churches full on Sunday, which emphasized the fact of approaching autumn, the season of work.

—Mr. Fayette Shaw is enlarging his already capacious greenhouse. The new part will be devoted to rose culture entirely.

—The Rev. Rufus Emery, of Newburgh, New York, has come to Boston to attend the annual Emery reunion. He is visiting friends in Newtonville.

—Mr. John Beal's new building is to be an ornament to the square. The plans have been drawn, and the cellar is nearly completed.

—About 75,000 bricks have already been laid on the new high school building, and the cellar partition walls are nearly completed.

—At a special meeting of the Universalist parish this week, the committees were revised, and by the new order they hope to do more effective work.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Mendell have returned from among the hills of New Hampshire. Mr. Mendell has gained in health during his absence.

—The little pocket time tables, presented by E. Smead & Co., are a great convenience, and the efficiency with which they distribute them about the square is quite remarkable.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips have just completed an extended European trip, and are tarrying a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Turner. They return to their home in California this week.

—Mr. H. F. Ross will move the three houses from Russell court, through Clyde street, to their permanent location on Cabot street. One of the houses is nearly ready to begin the journey.

—The High School Committee held a meeting on Wednesday evening, but owing to the illness of Mr. Fisher Ames, the chairman, and the absence of several other members, the committee adjourned without taking any action.

—The enterprise of Newtonville people is shown by the formation of the Electric Light and Power company. While other parts of the city have been talking of it, Newtonville has gone ahead, formed a company, and all the capital stock has been taken.

—At a meeting of the Goddard Literary Union committee, Tuesday evening, it was voted to make the first meeting, in October, a special one, upon which occasion the work for the winter may be planned. Ice cream and cake will be served. A committee of six were appointed to take in charge all preparations.

WEST NEWTON.

—Mr. C. W. Shepard and family have gone to Hull for a few weeks.

—Mrs. J. F. Ober and family are in Chicopee for a visit.

—Dea. Whitmore and family are spending a little time in Martha's Vineyard.

—Mrs. George L. Lovett is at the Rockland house, Nantasket.

—Mr. F. D. Child of Putnam street, and family, arrived home this week from a three months' absence.

—Mr. W. E. Elder is adding a new piazza and making other improvements to his house on Winthrop street.

—The variety store in Gammon's block has been delayed in opening, by the non-arrival of furniture and fixtures.

—Rev. H. J. Patrick returned to his pulpit last Sunday, and preached from the text "That they may be one."

—At the Congregational Church, on Sunday, there will be service at 10.45 a. m., with sermon to the young by the pastor, and Sunday School Concert at 6 p. m.

—Mr. Josiah Chase has gone for a short visit to Lyme, N. H., to bring home his scattered flock that has been rusticated through the summer vacation on a farm.

—Mr. Allis, the compiler of the new Newton Directory, with his assistants, after a long search, found board with Mrs. Woodman on Elm street.

—Several petitions were brought before the Board of health, a meeting of which

was held Monday p. m., but for lack of a quorum, the hearings could not be granted.

—Miss Clara Munger, teacher of Music in Boston, also Wellesley college, returned from Bar Harbor last week, and has gone to Nantucket for a visit to old friends. She will resume teaching the middle of September.

—Rev. Mr. Tiffany came from Bar Harbor and preached in Cambridge last Sabbath. His many friends will sympathize with him in his bereavement, in the death of a dear brother. Mr. George Tiffany of Baltimore, last week.

—The committee to receive subscriptions to the capital stock of the proposed National bank are meeting with fair success, and a number have called at the Exchange Banking Co.'s office, to record their names on the book that has been opened there.

—In the police court the past week there has only been one case of drunkenness, five cases of assault and battery, and one case of larceny. Most of the offences were minor ones, but the man guilty of drunkenness was fined \$10 and costs, and one of the belligerent individuals was sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

—Miss Maria S. Sheldon will sail in the Cephalonia next Thursday, on her way to her station as missionary in Turkey. A farewell service will be held in the Congregational Church on Monday evening at 7.15. Addresses will be made by the secretaries of the American Board. All interested are cordially invited.

—The "Women's Association of preachers" has applied to the Unitarian Society for the use of their parlors to hold a convention. The church committee voted to give them the disposal of them, and an afternoon and evening meeting will be held some time in the early part of October.

—At the installation exercises of Crescent Commandery No. 86, U. O. G. C., held Monday evening, D. G. C. J. R. Knight and D. P. G. C. W. H. Powers of Hyde Park installed the following officers: P. G. J. A. Symonds; W. I. G. J. C. Robbins; W. T. H. P. Barber; N. R. R. Arthur R. Coe; W. P. S. R. Symonds; V. C. R. M. Lindley; N. C. Julius L. Clarke.

—A brilliant meteor was observed here Monday evening about ten o'clock, by members of the Engine house, and possibly others. It came from a northerly direction and when not far from the earth it seemingly exploded, and like a rocket in its descent, burst into a multitude of falling stars of every hue of the rainbow. We notice in a Dover, N. H. paper an account of the same, and its apparent fall to the earth in that place.

—At the recent meeting of the Massachusetts Council, Institute of Civics, Wm. E. Sheldon of this city was elected a member of the committee on courses of reading; N. T. Allen on outlines of study; Rev. Henry Lambert, Rev. Francis Tiffany and Dr. C. F. Crehore on lectures; E. B. Haskell and John W. Carter on finance. Francis W. Tiffany was elected assistant secretary, to lighten the labors of Mr. Sheldon. Rev. Mr. Lambert, Mr. Sheldon and others made brief addresses on the work of the council.

—Mr. David Howland, one of the older residents of the city, died at his residence on Chestnut street on Thursday morning. Before retiring from business Mr. Howland was a prominent merchant of Boston, a member of the firm of Howland & Hinckley, ship chandlers. He accumulated a large fortune and some years ago retired from business. He was a man of rather quiet tastes, and never took a prominent part in public affairs, although he was always ready to do his duty as a citizen. When able to do so he attended the Unitarian Church here, of which he was a member. His wife died some years ago, and he leaves two sons, Messrs. Charles and Henry Howland.

—That the "summer birds of passage" are fast winging themselves homeward, the heavily freighted trains and other means of conveyance attest. But loiterers by the sea and mountain sides, as well as those that yet may be able to gather refreshment for a short season before autumnal hues that make the forests gay are past, need not be reminded that the "height of the season" is yet to come. When does the gipsy blood in our veins course more rampant than when "Autumn lies on yellow woods and sunny skies." Or can a stroll by the water's side be more alluring than when the opaline tints of the crystal waves answer back the shifting, ever varying clouds of early autumn. So away with dull care and let us flee awhile, and catch the inspiration of these fleeting glories, for winter's dark clouds of "toil and endeavor" will shut in about us all too soon.

—The Wheel Chair correspondent of the Herald has recently gone to Indian Rock, the sporting and social center of the Rangeley lake region. He evidently came across a West Newton minister there, for he says: Saturday night the parson of the Scribblers tore himself away from the allurements of camp Oquossoc, and, solitary and alone, with no other guide than a lantern, rowed to his lodge on the great lake. The next morning he packed and left on his return to home and friends at West Newton, wondering if the future life, to which it is his professional duty to point, is any great improvement on a summer vacation at the Rangeleys, or whether the garden of the Hesperides haunts more beautiful colors in the eye than those of the broad patch of portulacae close by the piazzas of Oquossoc.

—Services in the Unitarian Church were resumed after the summer vacation last Sabbath. Rev. Mr. Jaynes sounded the key-note to the commencement of active church and individual Christian work, from the text John 14, 21. "He that hath my commandments and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me." His exhortation to the cultivation of principle, which will hold a man unswerving in the path of rectitude under all trials and circumstances, rather than that of sentiment that plays only fitfully on the surface of a man's

character, was earnest and eloquent. Akin to a family separation, the members of a Christian household, of a faith after a dispersion for a season, are "glad when they say unto me, we will go unto the house of the Lord" again, there to exchange kindly greetings and renewed pledges of active, social and church work.

AUBURNDALE.

—Rev. Mr. Cutler's sermon on Sunday was on "The Sea."

—Mrs. E. L. Pickard and her niece, Mrs. D. F. Parker, have gone to Rangeley Lakes.

—The engagement of Rev. William Strong, eldest son of Dr. Strong, to Miss Olmstead, of Hartford, is announced.

—Mr. E. B. Haskell's family have returned from their "hotel camp" at Rangeley Lakes.

—Rev. Mr. Metcalf, writing from Nuremberg, says: "What strange names some of the hotels have in this country! I have just taken a modest luncheon at a little hotel rejoicing in the name of 'Himmels-leiter'—Heaven's ladder—and on the outside of the building there is a very good painting of Jacob's dream."

—The Saturday Evening Gazette says that Col. R. M. Pulsifer and family are in England, where they passed August, and will remain until September 23d, when they will sail for New York in the Adriatic. The Sunday Courier, on the other hand, says that Mr. Pulsifer and his family have been making a tour up the Rhine, and at last accounts were at Heidelberg.

—At the Friday evening lecture in the Congregational chapel, there was a large attendance to welcome the pastor. The lecture was, however, given by Rev. Mr. Haven, previously to which remarks were made by the pastor and by Rev. Dr. Strong, who was his companion in all his journeyings. A pleasant allusion was made to Mrs. Gulich, daughter of Mr. J. M. Gordon, a missionary to Spain. A hymn of welcome by Mr. Gordon was then sung.

—The pastor, Rev. Mr. Newhall, preached both morning and evening at the M. E. Church. He returns much refreshed by rest. The subject in the morning was, "New wine in new bottles." The music was excellent both morning and evening. The anthem, "Awake thou that sleepest," and a duet for tenor and bass from St. Paul, were a part of the evening program. Next Sunday the program includes "O Lamb of God," Calkin; "Te Deum," by Holshmar; "The way is long and dreary," by Arthur Sullivan; "The grace of God that bringeth salvation," by Barnby.

NONANTUM.

—Miss Emma Fletcher is vacating at Rindge, N. H.

—Mr. William Parker of New York is visiting in this village.

—Miss Miriam Sugden is at Providence, R. I.

—When is the new depot at Bemis Station going to be ready for occupancy?

—Michael Silver had his hand slightly injured at the Nonantum Mills a few days ago, Dr. Vincent dressed it.

—Mr. Perry, an elderly gentleman and a veteran of the Mexican War, died at his home on Chapel street, Wednesday.

—The usual Sunday morning fight took place last Sunday about 8.30 a. m. on Faxon street.

—Dea. Dimich will deliver his lecture on war experiences in the North Church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

—Mr. Alfred Pepler is expected home from Europe on Sunday; he sailed in the City of Chicago, of the Inman line.

—Holy Communion was celebrated at the North Evangelical Church by Pastor Lamb last Sunday evening.

—The Board of Health have been down to get a smell of the hog pens. Oh, so glad! hope they will call again.

—Josie Hudson, a bright little Miss of this village, acted as pianist at an entertainment given in Memorial Hall, Cambridge, on Thursday evening.

—We are informed that the demand for the celebrated star-light yarns, made by the Nonantum Worsted Company, are more in demand than ever this fall.

—Officer Davis discovered two men and five cases of lager beer on Watertown street, last Sunday in a closed carriage, and arrested them for violating the Sunday law.

—The old house which has stood on Bridge street for nearly thirty years, and used as four tenements by the Nonantum Worsted Co., has been moved on to California street, to make room for enlargement of the mills.

—Police Officer Conroy has gone to Brooklyn, N. Y. to spend a short vacation with friends; he is accompanied by his wife, and also Mr. Simon Mahan and his daughter Mary.

—The lot of land on Chapel street, which was advertised for sale by S. S. Gleason, auctioneer, was sold last Saturday afternoon. It was purchased by Mr. J. B. Murphy for the sum of \$215. The lot contains 6012 square feet, making the price about 3 1/2 cents per foot. It was considered a fair sale.

Furniture of Every Kind.

H. W. Martin, whose new store on Galen street, Watertown, is very convenient for Newton people, is prepared to furnish furniture of all kinds at as low prices as any of the largest Boston dealers. No shop-worn goods are kept, and customers can have any variety they desire to select from. Mr. Martin is winning a fine reputation for upholstery work, as his large and increasing orders show, and any work entrusted to him will be done in a satisfactory manner. Repairs of all kinds will be neatly done, and the work called for and delivered promptly. Cane chairs re-seated at a moderate price; mattresses made over, carpets taken up and cleaned, and satisfaction guaranteed in every instance. Give him a call.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Wednesday evening the Wellesley Band gave a concert at Elm Park Hotel.

—The lumber has arrived and work has been begun on the foot bridge.

—The entire family of James Humphreys are ill with malaria.

—From appearances we should judge that the committee propose to give us a substantial foot bridge.

—The river is very low for this time of year, and the mills have to run almost entirely by steam.

—Progress is visible in the improvement of Washington street. One half of the new roadway was opened to travel on Saturday.

—Geo. N. Smith has engaged a large piece of land of H. P. Eaton to increase his facilities for producing first class nursery stock.

—Mr. George H. Harrison, Assistant Fire Marshal of the San Francisco fire department, who was called east by the death of his mother, has returned to his post.

—Dr. D. E. Baker and wife are passing two weeks at Campton Village, N. H. In his absence Dr. Knott is caring for the health of the community.

—Mr. P. E. Baker's new house on Grove street is nearing completion. Mr. Everett E. Moody will occupy one half when finished.

—Mr. George Mills has so far recovered from his severe illness, seven weeks in duration, as to be able to be on the street, and receive the congratulations of friends.

—Considerable excitement was caused last Monday afternoon, by an incipient fire in the house of Mr. Dennis O'Brien. It was extinguished with slight loss, without a general alarm.

—It is reported that Mr. Frank W. Freeman, our worthy druggist, leaves our village in a few days to pursue the study of medicine in New York city. His family will remain here, whither he will return to pass his vacations.

WABAN.

—The new station is a "thing of beauty," and an honor to Newton. The grounds have been artistically laid out and graded, and are very attractive. All teams stop on signal, and it would seem that the Wabanite who is not satisfied must be hard to please. In addition to book tickets, the station agent has sold, during the past two weeks, over two hundred and fifty single tickets. This high and healthful section of our city needs only to be seen to be appreciated. Doubtless it will be thickly settled in the near future.

Electric Light in Newton.

Evidently there is some chance of having electric light in Newton, and the movement starts from the liveliest portion of the city, Newtonville. The Newton Electric Light and Power Company was organized Monday. The capital stock is 25,000, and it has all been subscribed. Horace B. Parker is president, and Horace B. Parker, A. F. Upton, R. Hollings, A. R. Mitchell, H. F. Ross and G. W. Morse, directors. It is proposed to use the arc light for street lighting and the incandescent light for buildings. The company has petitioned the city council for the right to erect poles and run wires, and, when the locations have been granted, the company propose to go ahead and establish the plant immediately.

The Allen School.

Mr. L. D. Adams, the former principal of the Newton High School, and also of some of the best High Schools in New England, has been engaged by the Messrs. Allen to take charge of the Modern Languages and literature, and also to assist in the classical department. Mr. Adams' former pupils in this city and their parents will be very glad to welcome him back to Newton. As an instructor he has few equals, and he is also a cultivated gentleman, whose influence over his pupils has always been elevating and refining. He will receive a limited number of students into his family.

Bicycle Notes.

September 13th, Huntley of the Nonantum Club will attempt to break McCurdy's 24-hour record. He will ride a 54-inch Rudge. On the same day H. D. Corey of the Massachusetts Club and A. Kennedy-Child of the Ripley road club of London will try to lower the record of 202 miles, made by Huntley and Corey a few days ago. The course will comprise a stretch of 12 1/2 miles through the best parts of Newton, West Newton, Waltham and Auburndale. The pair will ride a Rudge Humber tandem and expect to cover 240 miles, while Huntley expects to cover a round 300. As the American Cyclists' Union will regard the attempt as a private trial, riders can make pace without fear of disturbing their status.

A ninth district Republican, saying that Congressman Ely will be re-elected, adds, "It wouldn't take a very smart man to defeat him." Robert M. Morse, Jr., is regarded as one of the ablest men in the district.—(Boston Sunday Times).

House Furnishing Goods.

The store of Charles H. Barnes, 512 Washington street, Boston, has always been popular with Newton people, as it is in a central location, and a greater variety of goods can be found there than anywhere else. This fall Mr. Barnes is offering greater inducements than ever before, and advertises the lowest prices for the best quality of goods. Payments are made easy, and in his advertisement to-day attention is called to some of the many attractions of this old and reliable house.

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Fish.

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All Traveling Expenses Included.

3-GRAND TRIPS IN OCTOBER-3

September 27 to October 9.—Harrisburg, Pa., Battlefield of Gettysburg, Blue Mountain House, Caverns of Luray, Natural Bridge of Virginia, White Sulphur Springs, Harper's Ferry, Washington, D. C., Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, etc. \$75.00.

October 4 to 8.—Hoosac Tunnel and West Shore route to Niagara Falls; two and a half days there, with carriage drive, etc. All travel in sleeping and drawing-room cars. \$30.00.

October 4 to 9.—Hoosac Tunnel, Rutland, Vt., Saratoga, with carriage drive; Albany, down the Hudson River, and two days in New York. The chief railway journeys in drawing-room cars. \$30.00.

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EDWIN W. VOSE, adm.

July 29th, 1886. 48, 34

A ROUND-ROBIN.

[Ester B. Tiffany, in Sept. Wide Awake.]

Tap! tap!—what's that? I raised my eyes
And there upon the sill
A robin, portly, staid, and wise,
Stood holding in his bill
A written maple-leaf, which straight
He in my apron threw.
And then, although I pleaded "Wait,"
Back to the orchard flew.

"We jointly beg," the writing ran,
"That you will keep at home
Your prowling pussies, all you can,
And teach them not to roam.
Broiled robin may be very nice,
And robin as a roast,
And robin fried with mice,
Or robin served on toast;
But yet it hardly seems quite right—
In this we all agree—
That puss should have each summer night
Young robins for her tea."
Signed: "Robin of the Cedar-tops,"
And "Robin of the Mill,"
And "Robin of the Alder-copse,"
And "Robin of the Hill,"
And robins more than I could tell
Or you would stay to hear.

I ran at once to pass. "Well! well!
What's this," I cried, "my dear,
Here Robin of the Cedar-tops,
And Robin of the Mill,
And Robin of the Alder-copse,
And Robin of the Hill,
And robins more than I could name
Or you would stay to hear
Tell tales of you—such tales! oh shame!
For they are true, I fear."

Puss winked and blinked. "How robins thrive!
I did not know," purred she.
"We'd left so many birds alive,
I and my kittens three."

HOW STELLA MADE A "HIT."

BY G. C. JENKS.

If I had been caught in such a situation by anybody but John Benton, I should have been terribly annoyed. There I was, sitting on the floor of the nursery, with hair tumbled, my face red and sticky with candy, and a great rent across the front breadth of my overskirt, where it had been caught by a nail a few minutes before during a fierce blind-man's-buff scrimmage. My little sister Alice was having a birthday party, and of course I had to assist in entertaining the guests. There were just twelve, seven boys and five girls. Supper was over (everybody was too excited to sit long at the table), and we all retired to the nursery, at the top of the house, where there were no restrictions as to noise, and where the seven boys exercised their shouting franchise to the utmost, assisted in a more subdued way by the five girls, the youngest a wee little thing of four years, who had insisted on sharing her stick of candy with me.

When John Benton tapped at the door I said, "Come in," carelessly, supposing it was a servant.

"I beg your pardon, Miss Latour. They said I should find you here. But perhaps I have made some mistake?"

"Not at all, Mr. Benton," said I, as I scrambled to my feet. "We are pleased to see you. Sit down on—the piano-stool. The chairs have been taken into the other room. We have been playing blind-man's-buff."

"I—I received this invitation," went on Mr. Benton, taking an envelope from his pocket and reading from the gilt-edged card within: "Miss Latour requests the pleasure of your company on Tuesday, Dec. 29, at five o'clock."

I looked reproachfully at my seven-year-old sister Alice. She had sent one of her printed invitations, in which the printer had neglected to insert the name "Alice," to John Benton, and the great booby had taken it for granted that I was the Miss Latour. So he had come, without even sending an acceptance to herald his approach, in full dress, with a great expanse of white shirt-bosom, white necktie, and—yes, I am sure of it—his hair crimped. A nice contrast to my torn dress and dishevelled hair!

"Well, I am glad you have come, though I suppose this is not exactly the kind of gathering you expected to find, is it?"

I did not care much what I said to John Benton. Ever since I had met him at the Warrens' ball, three months ago, when he insisted on dancing with me three times in the course of the evening, and trod on my toes each time, my brothers all declared that he was in love with me, but was too bashful to tell me. I often met him, and though I am sure I am not an awe-inspiring personage, I could not help seeing that he was never at ease in my presence. Not that he was backward where men were concerned. My brother Will took me to the Oil Exchange one morning, and the first thing I saw was John Benton, with his hat on the back of his head, grasping a brass railing with one hand and shaking the other, holding some papers in the face of a savage-looking man, and shouting at him at the top of his voice in the most defiant manner. Will said the savage-looking man was a bear, and that Mr. Benton was a bull. Then Mr. Benton caught sight of me, and came and stuttered and stayed with me for ten minutes. Will told me afterward that in that ten minutes the market dropped nearly a cent, and Mr. Benton lost a thousand dollars.

But it was evident Mr. Benton was not thinking about the market as he walked over to the piano-stool in his dress-coat and white necktie, and sat there, with one of the most sheepish smiles I ever saw on a young man's face.

"Now, Lou, you must sit down on the floor again, so that we can play forfeits,"

said my tyrannical sister Alice. "And you, too, Mr. Benton. Come on. John Benton blushed and looked at me. "We shall have to obey, I am afraid, Mr. Benton," I said. "But you can sit on the piano-stool, if you prefer it."

"Oh, but I don't, Miss Latour. Allow me to assist you to—sit down."

And he actually tried to make a courtly proceeding of depositing me on the floor, as if it could be anything but ridiculous, however it was effected.

Then he sat down himself, with little Stella, the four-year-old mite, between us, and the game of forfeits went on. Most of the penalties were in the shape of kisses, and I felt nervous until my time came. Alice held the forfeits over the head of a particular friend of hers, a girl of her own age, and it was the duty of the latter to say what should be required of the owner of the article. There was my handkerchief! I am ashamed to say that my heart beat quickly when Alice repeated the familiar nursery jargon: "Heavy, heavy, what hangs over," etc., and it fairly jumped when Alice, with a mischievous glance at Mr. Benton and myself, stooped and whispered to her friend. Then she went on with the question: "What shall be done with the owner?"

Clear-cut and distinct came the answer: "She shall kiss Mr. Benton."

"Oh, it's Lou—it's Lou!" shouted Alice, and amid the tempest of laughter, Mr. Benton sat looking straight before him with a crimson face, while he fumbled at his left ear.

There was a silence, as everybody except Mr. Benton looked at me to see the operation performed, when a small, baby voice at my side said: "I'll kiss him for you, Lou."

So Stella climbed up to Mr. Benton's neck, with one of her hands on his white shirt-bosom, and, as she said herself, "tissed him right on the mouf, and it titiled my nose!"

I did not want to play at forfeits any longer—it was too dangerous; so I proposed that we should all sing.

"Ess, I tan sing," said Stella. "I know lots of songs."

She did not feel at all abashed over the fact that she had left a dark, sticky impression of her fingers on Mr. Benton's starched shirt-bosom, and as for him, he seemed to feel flattered at her evident preference for him.

I sat down at the piano and played accompaniments for school songs, while the children stood around me and bawled the words into my ears with the execrating flat intonation peculiar to young, untrained voices.

Mr. Benton was sitting near the window, with little Stella on his knee, apparently enjoying the noise, and with his eyes fixed on me in a blank stare of admiration that I could not help seeing whenever my face was half turned in his direction.

"Now let me sing a song all by myself," said Stella.

Mr. Benton looked inquiringly at me, and I said: "Yes, Stella. Let us hear you sing all by yourself."

So she commenced deliberately: "Little bir-r-die, on—the-tree! [a long breath] on—the-tree! [another long breath] on—the-tree!" Then she stopped, and, with a haughty disregard of the desires or opinions of her audience that would have been worthy of a petted prima donna, turned carelessly around on Mr. Benton's knee and looked out of the window, while he waited her pleasure.

"Oh, loo-oot—the big birdie on the tree out of the window," she said suddenly, pointing downward where I knew a tall poplar grew close to the house.

Mr. Benton was apparently startled by this evidence of Stella's keen vision, for I saw him jump as his eyes followed the direction of her finger. He controlled himself at once, however, as he replied quickly:

"I guess that is the shadow of a cloud in the moonlight, and not a birdie."

"No," she persisted. "I saw a birdie on the tree."

He put her down and she ran over to me. As I took her on my lap, I heard the door close, and saw that John Benton had disappeared.

"That is rather unceremonious. I wonder whether he is coming back," I thought. "Well, I do not care whether he does or not," as I made up my mind that the festivities could proceed without him.

I sat Stella on the end of the piano, and played a lively polka for the children, with Stella's assistance, she drumming on two or three of the keys in the bass at intervals, with a very weird, if not harmonious, effect.

"I want some more tandy," announced Stella, imperiously.

"I shall have to go down stairs for it, Stella. It is all in the dining-room," I said.

"Well, do down 'tairs. I'll be doud."

Of course I had to go. I left Stella in Alice's charge, and ran swiftly down the stairs. The nursery was on the third floor. I do not know what induced me to open the door of my parents' bedroom as I passed it. I did so, however. It was quite dark, save for one narrow bar of moonlight forcing its way through the poplar just outside the window.

I glanced carelessly into the gloom, with my hand on the handle of the door, and was about to continue my journey to the dining-room when I felt a draught from the open window and saw something white gleaming in the moonlight for an instant and then disappear.

"What is that?" I thought, as an indescribable feeling of terror passed over me and left me shivering. "It looked like a hand."

There was not a sound to be heard in the room save the rustling of the curtains as the light wintry breeze blew them from the window, but I was certain some one was there.

What was that?

Surely a man climbing through the window. Yes, I was not mistaken. My eyes had become accustomed to the darkness by this time, and I could see the outline of his figure clearly defined against the window.

In that terrible instant all I had ever heard or read about burglars and their des-

perate actions when brought to bay, passed through my mind. I remembered half a dozen stories, more or less improbable, wherein a young girl had successfully outwitted expert midnight thieves, and captured them alone and unaided.

The man, with his round head covered by some kind of closely-fitting cap, was cautiously creeping through the window, and I saw the poplar shake, as if just relieved of a burden. He had evidently climbed the tree to reach the room, and I remembered hearing my brother Will say only the day before that it was a favorite plan of thieves in robbing a house to get up to the second story by means of a porch or tree, while the family were gathered in the lower rooms in the early evening.

I could not move. There was no light in the hall outside the room, and I could not be seen by the intruder as I stood with my hand on the door handle, watching him, and listening in a dreamy way to the noise of the children in the nursery overhead.

He was inside the room by this time, and I noticed that his footsteps were noiseless, as if he had no shoes on, as he moved across the bar of moonlight toward the bureau where my mother always keeps her jewelry. I saw a round patch of bright yellow light fall on the keyhole of the top drawer, and then heard a metallic rattling. The thief was picking the lock!

If I could only scream, or call Will!

The draw opened; the man was fumbling at its contents, when—crash! The yellow patch of light disappeared, and, with a fearful word, I saw the man fall, another man holding him! Then a pistol-shot rang through the room, and echoed up and down stairs, and the room was flooded in light. Somebody had touched the electric button down stairs and lighted the gas.

For a few seconds my eyes were so dazzled that I could not see anything. Then I saw two men rolling on the floor in a desperate struggle, while a pistol lay just out of their reach. The man underneath, with his closely-fitting plush cap, was scowling at me, as he tried to release himself, and I thought I could see murder written on his thin lips and short, turned-up nose so plainly that I should have been in favor of hanging him on the spot.

But who was the other man, holding the thief with a grip of iron, as each tugged and writhed in the attempt to subdue the other? Surely that was a bow of a white necktie at the back of his neck! That was a dress-coat, with the tails spread out like the wings of an eagle, or I was much mistaken!

In the battle, just as Will and my father reached the room and rushed past me, the combatants rolled over, and a very red face, which, however, was anything but sheepish now, was turned toward me,—the face of—John Benton!

Will had the thief by the arm in a minute, while John Benton lay panting on the floor.

Then it was that I saw a great stain on the white shirt-bosom.

It was blood!

Somewhat, I forgot all about the thief, Will, my father—everything—as I threw myself down by the side of John Benton and pressed my handkerchief over the red stain.

"John, John! What is it? Where are you hurt? O father he is killed!" I screamed. "What shall I do?"

I will never believe again that John Benton was ever bashful, for he just put one of his hands on the back of my head, pulled my face down to his, and whispered:

"Do just what you are doing now, and as you have commenced to call me John, do it all the rest of your life, and let me call you Lou."

There was a sudden disturbance! The thief had broken away from Will! The poplar tree shook violently, and Will said, as he put his head out of the window:—

"Well, let the rascal go. It will save a good deal of trouble. Ah! There is his pal, who was on guard. They are both running as if the whole force were at their heels."

Then, turning to John: "Are you hurt, Mr. Benton? You don't look as if it was very serious."

"It is not serious," said John sitting up. "That fellow cut his hand in some way while opening the drawer, and he rubbed the blood all over my shirt; that's all."

I bit my lip and gave John a look that should have frozen him. It did not have the proper effect, however, for he followed me up stairs to the nursery, where the racket of play had rendered the children oblivious of the disturbance below. As he took Stella on his knee he said:—

"You know, Stella, you made a tremendous hit with your song? You must sing 'Birdie on a Tree' for us again. Will you?"

"Ess, I will sing it for you, but you must kiss Lou for me now. She has given me lots and lots of tandy, and she is awfully doud."

"Yes, I think so," said John. "And I'll kiss her for you?"

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—Dog-days ended with the last week.
—The Unitarian Church will not be opened until Sunday, Sept. 19th.
—Rev. Mr. Holmer was welcomed home by his church and congregation on Sunday.
—"The Aftermath of September" is not the sweet clover of June.
Nevertheless some of our farmers have cut unusually heavy "crown" crops of hay.
—Messrs. Willard H. Morse, Cedar street, and Harry Tomlinson, Bowen street, left for Portland, Me., on Monday, on a yachting excursion.
—The exterior improvements on the Unitarian Church are completed, the interior will be ready for service on Sunday the 19th.
—Mr. Edward E. Dudley, Parker street, who has been engaged in cattle raising in Texas for several years, has suffered heavy losses of cattle by the drought prevailing in that region this season.
—On Tuesday, the 14th, the bell on Institution Hill will be heard, announcing that a new year of study is to open there. It is reported that the Junior class will be a large one.
—Prof. Stephen A. Emery, Pelham street, and family, have returned from their cottage at Rockport. Mr. Emery testified at the recent sea-serpent investigation, as having seen the monster.
—The regular Sunday afternoon meetings of the Chatfield Bible Reader's Club will begin again at the Methodist Episcopal Church, Newton Centre, Sunday, Sept. 12, at 4 p. m. Subject, the Gospel of Mark. All persons interested will be welcome.
—Don't add the letter *r* to the word tomato, by pronouncing it *tomarto*. You might just as well say *polarto*. If you prefer, you may call this handsome red fruit by its aboriginal name, *Love-apples*, or by its botanical name, *Lycopersicon esculentum*.
—The Mason and Rice Schools open their doors on Monday. Miss Friend's Private School, Station street, also on Monday. Miss Sylvester's Kindergarten, Warren street, same date. Miss Sparhawk, Homer street, will commence the first quarter of her Kindergarten on Monday, October 4th.
—Dr. Sylvester has a famous prescription for the relief and cure of hay cold, a lady sent the formula to a friend in St. Louis, who procured the medicine, and it was found to work like a charm in that climate as well. It promises to be a great blessing to many sufferers.
—There are several cases of typhoid fever at Thompsonville, and our Newton Cottage Hospital will be able to receive and relieve the neighborhood from the fear of an epidemic. One child died on Sunday, and another is sick, a member of a large family; one or two grown persons have also been prostrated. The health officer has visited the premises.
—Rev. F. G. McFarlan and wife of Columbus, Ohio, were in town last week. Mr. McFarlan is a graduate of the Theological Institution, has been settled with the Second Baptist Church in Columbus three and a half years, where the membership of the church has more than doubled, and a new house of worship been dedicated free of debt. Mrs. McFarlan is a daughter of the late Mr. Thomas Bond, Parker street. Mr. and Mrs. McFarlan have passed their vacation at Southwest Harbor, Mt. Desert.
—A happy surprise took place at the Young People's meeting at the Baptist Church on Tuesday evening of last week. The former pastor, Rev. Mr. Brailsin, was very unexpectedly there, but the day had been very rainy, and only a score or more were present. Mr. Brailsin left on Wednesday, declaring his intention of coming again this autumn. His vacation has been in the Adirondack region, and his return is to his pastorate at the Washington Avenue Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.
—Some person or persons entered Mr. James White's premises at Newton Highlands the other night, and cut up and ruined some twenty of his finest melons. Mr. White says he would willingly have given them if they had wished to eat them, but to see his property destroyed was a little too much. \$25 reward has been offered for the apprehension of the guilty parties, but he thinks the only way to cure such thieves is to show them the evil of their ways, and persuade them to reform. Fines and such punishment only harden the offenders.
—Never was the value of the Newton Fire Department better demonstrated than at the late fire at Weir's stable. The midnight alarm found our officers at their posts, and steamer No. 3 was quickly in position, and was managed by a master hand. The reinforcements came up in equally good style. The Charles River water only needed their aid, to burst upon the wild flames and save the battle. A visit to the ruins of the stable shows the miracle of escape; just on the left is Farnham's Block, the first floors of which are laden with groceries, provisions, dry goods, boots and shoes, while above are several suits of rooms occupied by families; at the left are dwelling houses and private stables, in close proximity. This fire furnishes a great argument for the use of Chemical Engines in towns where there is a scarcity

of water, instance the burning of the village of South Royalton, Vermont, only two days after our deliverance. In that place a fire started in the night, and by two o'clock in the morning the whole village, (business part) was in flames. This town is on a branch of the White River, but probably its water, as is usual in the country, was not available. Such communities should turn their attention to the great value of Chemicals in extinguishing fires.

—Crystal Lake is the scene of many aquatic feats; formerly the best record was supposed to be made by those who were amphibious to such an extent, that they were able to swim across from Farnham's Shore to Paul's Cove. It has now been discovered that the circuit of the lake is a distance of one mile, so the favorite sport is to take this course for a morning swim; it is done without taking to shallow water at all, the swimmer turning and lying on his back at intervals. The water is warm and soft, and as sea water is more buoyant than fresh water, any one that is expert here may consider himself able to be of value even in rough water, and ready to become a member of an Emergency Committee, and "it goes without saying" that everything useful that we learn comes in use sometime.

—Rev. Dr. Edward Judson returned from his tour to Yellowstone Park on Friday. The journey was unexpectedly prolonged by the decision of the party to extend the trip to Puget Sound, Oregon. Dr. Judson spoke on Friday evening of the safe and pleasant ride of six thousand miles, without hindrance or accident, with thankfulness. On Sunday he preached from 1st John, 4th Chap. 19th verse, subject, Christian Love, in the evening, Regeneration. Both discourses were marked with power, and listened to by a large audience. At the praise and prayer meeting held at the close of the sermon, Rev. R. M. Deming, Secretary of the Boston Young Men's Christian Association, who has recently become a resident here, presided. It is expected that Dr. Judson will preach morning and evening on the remaining Sundays of this month.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Sheldon and son arrived from Europe last week.

—Louis K. Brigham has broken ground for a new house on Hartford street.

—Fritz is doing a driving business, but it would be as well to connect with all the trains named upon the time card.

—Ex-Alderman George D. Eldridge and family are to reside in Washington, D. C., having made business arrangements there.

—The scraping gang has arrived upon our street gutters, making a clean sweep of the weeds thereon.

—Mrs. N. P. Dodge, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, who has been visiting friends at the Highlands, has gone to Boston, where she will be joined by her son and daughter.

—"Procrastination" should be the motto of the city of Newton. Vacation ends this week, and the repairs that were to be made during the same upon the school house are not commenced as yet. It may be another Sabbath's job.

—A Raymond excursion party started on a White Mountain trip last Monday. Among them from this section of the city were: Mrs. Amasa Crafts, Mrs. Frederick Manson, Miss Lillie Manson, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pettie, Mrs. J. A. Gould and M. A. Gould.

—Runaways are not very frequent upon our streets, but last week Friday afternoon Mr. Ward Johnson's span was driven up to Mullen's blacksmith shop, one of the horses was detached and taken into the shop, when its mate started on the run up Boylston street, passing several carriages without any injury, and was stopped on Eliot street, near the city ledge, by the workmen. No damage was done to horse or carriage.

—Dust, dust, dust! As the time is coming that the figures are to be made up on next year's appropriation, we wish to remind the highway committee not to forget that item for sprinkling the streets within half a mile of the depots. The citizens are willing to meet the expense by taxation if the thing is done properly, but the manner in which the work is done has been a great nuisance—to have the streets watered after a rain, or to drench them every trip where the shade trees are, is a waste of water and time.

—Considerable curiosity is manifested in certain quarters, relative to the extent of the boundaries of Newton Centre. Your correspondent of last week embraced in the report of that village territory extending from "Kendricks Bridge" on the one side to the new station of Waban on the other. Should the boundaries be equally extensive on the remaining two sides, most of the territory of Newton would be included in that domain. Do they want the earth?

—A Winter Amid the Orange Groves.
The Raymond & Whitcomb winter excursions to the Pacific Coast have enabled hundreds of eastern people to escape the rigorous climate of the East, and to enjoy seasons of rest and recreation in the most favored land of the whole globe. A glance at the comprehensive pamphlet circular just issued by this enterprising firm, shows that the arrangements for the winter of 1886-87 are better than anything yet offered. The opening of The Raymond, a large and magnificent hotel which is situated in the most picturesque and beautiful section of Southern California, will afford accommodations of a first-class character, hitherto lacking in that region. There are to be seven excursions westward and nine dates returning, with special trains and other special sight-seeing facilities through the wild scenery of the Rocky Mountains. In addition to these frequent opportunities for a return with conducted parties, the excursion tickets are good to return at any time. "Independent" tickets are sold, which permit the holder to go where he pleases, and to be entirely free from compulsion of any kind while on the Pacific Coast. At the same time he may secure special advantages at all the leading health and pleasure resorts, including The Raymond, the Hotel del Monte, at Monterey, the Palace Hotel in San Francisco, Santa Cruz, the Napa Soda Springs, and a dozen other places. The dates of the west-bound excursions are November 4, December 9, January 6 and 20, February 3 and 17, and March 10. Send to W. Raymond, 286 Washington street, opposite School street, Boston, for circulars describing The Raymond, and giving details of these trips.

HEAVY TAX PAYERS.

PROPERTY OWNERS OF NEWTON WHO PAY \$100 OR OVER.

Following is a list of property owners in Wards One, Two and Seven, who pay \$100 or over in taxes. The list of tax payers in the other wards will be given next week. It will be seen that a large number pay taxes in different wards, some citizens being assessed in every ward of the city.

Ward 1.

Adams, Mrs. Caroline P.	\$604
Alden, Geo E and John E	223
Allen, George E	330
Allen, Isaac C	304
Allison, James S, heirs	273
Andrews, Justin	362
Angier, Emma E	145
Bacon, Joseph N	316
Bailey, Eva L	187
Bailey, Mrs Catherine	172
Bailey, Eva L	187
Bailey, James W, heirs	187
Baker, Amelia J	141
Barker, Jonathan H	108
Barker, Antoinette A	241
Barker & Co	288
Barnes, Lydia J	311
Becker, Celia M	115
Blodgett, W H	216
Blodgett, Adelaide N	102
Brackett, Albert	288
Brackett, William S	619
Breck, Charles H	832
Buckingham, Georgiana A	160
Calkins, Rev Walcott	158
Chaffin, John C	207
Chaffin, Julius M	201
Cobb, Henry E	304
Cobb, Henry E, guardian	1,285
Cobb, Marshall N	360
Coffin, Howard B	405
Coffin, Lewis	120
Coffin, Fanny B	144
Cole, Andrew, heirs	579
Converse, E W Jr	1,536
Crosby, George W	185
Cutler, Albert	185
Daniels, Adelaide F, heirs	108
Egleston, James	177
Emerson, D R	714
Estabrook, Rufus	122
Farquhar, Samuel	730
Farrell, Patrick P	110
Fisher, O C	136
Fillebrown, M Louise	108
Franklin, Ira S	124
Freeman, Russell	333
Gay, Nettie A	237
Gould, Rev John B	642
Graves, Chester H	180
Green, Michael M, heirs	139
Hablin, Francis E	158
Hart, Maria J	100
Hills, Bullens & Co	230
Howes, Wellington	122
Jackson, Calves B et al	136
Jennison, Caroline S	393
Jones, C P and M F	235
Kennedy, Alice	115
Kidder, Jerusha M	449
Lancaster, Charles B	189
Leonard, George	432
Leeds, Benjamin I Jr, guardian	230
Lodge, Ida G	174
Lord, George C	103
Lord, R W	122
Marshall, A B	112
Monroe, Sarah C	206
Moody, M A	1,166
Newton Baptist Society	1,699
Newton National Bank	223
Newton and Watertown Gas Light Co	108
Noyes, Adela	187
Park, Charlotte	151
Parks, S J & F E	136
Pearson, Margaret	101
Peirce, B K	151
Phigree, Thomas S	110
Port, Mary	136
Potter, John C	1535
Potter, J S	166
Potter, John S, trustee	590
Potter, Mary H	640
Rice, M M H	138
Rogers, W H	200
Sawyer, Edward	419
Seales, Edward P	138
Simpson, G F	122
Simpson, James & Joseph B	102
Smith, Frederick B	162
Smith, Samuel	317
Soule, Enos C	218
Spears, Edward	318
Stevens, M R	282
Stone, Mary Augusta	108
Stuart, Timothy	147
Turner, Job A, heirs	341
Uley, Martha F	180
Warren, Harriett E	181
Wellington, Lydia D	216
Wheeler, Mary I	138
Whitcomb, S L	189
Whitman, Joseph E	138
Whitman, Warren F	102
Woods, Henry J	102

Non-Residents.

Barker, Sewell F	\$211
Bayley, Martha R	770
Boston & Albany R R Corp	303
Farnum, Henrietta M	116
Fish, John	360
Fuller, Granville	499
Haines, Ira	129
Holmes, Leabel L	259
Jackson, M H, heirs	198
Johnson, Thomas A	119
Lewis, Mary A D	201
Lilly, Channing	172
Lilly, Channing, trustee	144
Morse, Mary A	158
Nonantum Worsted Company	387
Parks, Ward A	115
Parker, Robert W	144
Proctor, Thomas, heirs	311
Shepard, Otis	158
Tilton, Charles E	122
Executor of will of Job E Turner	3,618
Warner, Levi F	309

Ward 7.

Adams, Caroline W.	\$126 72
Allen, George	496 64
" Hannah and Julia G.	187 20
Bacon, Benj. F.	192 08
" Joseph N.	1,410 32
Barker, Emily G.	129 08
Barker, Joshua	215 78
" Marianna	345 60
Ballister, Joseph F.	182
Bassett, Henry D.	225 20
" Mary	146
Billings, Charles E.	151 20
Bowman, Dexter D.	1,341 20
Brackett, Albert	197 84
" Wm. Henry	276 48
Bragdon, Wm. heirs	284 24
Brazier, Julia A.	115 20
Brewer, Isaac, heirs	139 68
Bridges, Geo. E.	115 20
Brooke, Harriet A.	180
Brooks, Lizzie	288
Bullens, George S.	1,068 48
" Caroline A.	248 80
Burr, Isaac T.	187 20
" Ann F.	2,882
Bush, George W.	963 60
Chaffin, Edwin, heirs	380 72
" John C.	180
Clafin, Henry	599 60
Cobb, Elizabeth W.	621 20
Coffin, Henry E, trustee	144
Coburn, Elenore H.	115 20
" Elenore, trustee	338 48
Coburn, George D.	518 40
" Nathan P.	1,283 60
Colburn, George D.	102 80
Cox, Hattie B.	136 80
Crosby, Helen A.	109 44

Merto C.	174 80
Cutler, Ethos M.	454 15
" Anna W.	216
Cutting, Ella G.	172 80
" Lucinda	482 40
Chaffin, John C. and Childs, Edwin O., trustees under will of Edwin Chaffin	2,217 61
Dana, Luther	589 52
Daniels, Ada E.	338 40
Davis, Sophronia H.	118 80
" Frederick	1,036 08
" Joshua W.	160 40
" Joshua, heirs	172 80
" Mrs. Susie	129 60
Dewey, Daniel, trustee	165 52
" Daniel	146
" Mary A.	302 40
Durbin, Sarah A.	144
Earle, A. B.	171 92
Ellison, Wm P.	102 80
" Mary E.	172 80
Elms, Martha J.	110 88
Emerson, D. R.	110 88
" Matilda	100 80
Emery, Eliza B.	259 20
Farlow, John S.	2,168 40
" Nancy W. Mrs.	172 80
Farquhar, David W.	326
" Samuel	326
Fearing, Helen A.	100 80
Field, Henry M.	110 80
" S. Margie	288
" Wm E.	383 60
Flood, Kate E.	125 28
Follett, Nellie D.	129 60
French, Emily S.	160 72
" James W. trustee	152 64
Fuller, Henry	539 94
" J. B. H. heirs	129 60
Gardner, Wm S.	208 40
Gay, Charles S.	347 60
Gilman, Gorham D trustee	132 48
Graves, Chester H	105 12
Gardner, Sarah M D	144
Healy, John J.	347 60
Hamblen, Ephraim S	196 40
Hamblin, Francis E	228 08
Hammert, Wm C	210 80
Harden, Henry F	280
Harris, John F.	146 88
Harwood, George S	1,154
" Ellen A.	331 20
" Seth K.	282 80
Haskell, Martha A.	261 20
Hatch, Catherine L	237 60
Hazelwood, Francis W	117 20
Henry, John Q	347 60
Hibbard, Herman E	841 50
Hill, Jean S.	812 48
Hitchcock, Abby H	460 80
Hobart, Henrietta	122 40
Holbrook, Charles S	261 78
Holmes, Lydia A	122 40
Holmes, S. W. trustee of estate of Prence Hobbs	338 40
Howe, Jubal, heirs	165 60
Howard, Lucy E	216
Hull, Maria L	237 60
Hyle, George	967 44
" Olivia	259 20
Ivy, Sarah F	100 80
Johnson, Charles E	160 40
" Marianne W	410 40
" Wm J	174 80
Kenrick, John A heirs	345 60
Kinsley, James D.	146
Knapp, F. Leonard	100
Lancaster, Charles B	1,267 76
Lawton, Mark A	183 44
Linder, Wm, heirs	108
Livermore, Geo F	142 11
Lord, Lucy H	259 20
" Annie A.	144
" Edward W	290
" George C	202
" guardian	144
" Marion R	964 80
Loring, Charles W	354 80
" Chas H heirs	129 60
Lovell, Wallace L	146
" Josephine L	204 48
Luther, Benj S	333 20
Mather, Andrew S	190 64
" Melissa J	187 20
" Anna E heirs	115 20
May, Emma E	144
Merrill, Mary E	273 60
Myer, Geo A—Geo S Bullens and Geo Lin—der trustees	165 60
Moore, Stephen	246 80
Morley, Eliza A	162 72
Mudge, Arthur C	117 20
Murdoch, Francis	563 80
" & Co	180

Stickney, Josiah H. Edw S Rand and Jonathan Brown, trustees 374 40
Tobey, Horace P 151 20
Torrey, Amanda W et al 223 20
Warren, Winslow, trustee for Miss Jessie E Kimball 129 60
Webber, Cora L 100 80
Wellman, J W 187 20
Weston, Evelyn O 129 60
Whitney, Leonard, heirs 158 40
Wilkinson, W H and Caleb W Loring, trustees 122 40
Wood, Anna Maria 100 80

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mr. C. H. Noyes is on a business trip to Chicago.

—Miss Linda Nickelson is stopping at Nantasket Beach for a few days.

—What has become of the petition for a flag-man at the Oak street crossing?

—Mr. H. C. Hoyt is up among the New Hampshire hills.

—Mr. Joshua Gardner, a former resident, is visiting friends in the village.

—Oak street will soon be open to public travel again.

—The ever-welcome tax bills are making their annual call upon our citizens.

—Echo Bridge is still the center of attraction for many visitors. It is seen at its best at this season of the year.

—Officer Purcell is on a vacation, his place being filled for the time by Officer Fuller.

—Many of the runaways who absented themselves the first of the summer have returned to our midst.

—Mr. Samuel G. Curry and family have arrived home from the Vineyard, where they have been spending the summer.

—The improvements upon the premises of Mr. W. O. Colburn have been completed, adding greatly to the appearance of the entire street.

—Operations at the silk mill will soon begin in earnest, as the machinery is now in position, and some of the operatives have arrived.

—Mr. M. W. Gould and his mother have gone on a Raymond trip to the White Mountains. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pettie are also among the party.

—There was quite a narrow escape from a serious fire on Monday of this week, at the residence of Mrs. Barney on Eliot street, caused by trying to burn out a wasp's nest.

—Special services have been held through the week at the Methodist Church. The pastor has had the assistance of the noted evangelist, Sam. Lidstone, who has recently come to us from Moody's training school.

—The schools open again next week. We have no doubt the scholars are restless to again renew their studies! The teachers also, it goes without saying, are anxious to once more begin the pleasant labor of "teaching the young idea how to shoot."

—The High School scholars from this section of the city have been on the anxious seat since the close of school in June, on account of the uncertainty of the barge running. We understand that arrangements are being made for its continuance, and that it will resume its usual trips on Monday morning next.

—The United States Fireworks Co. of this village furnished the display at the recent Fireman's Convention in Pittsfield. One of the designs, and the one attracting the most attention, was a huge steam fire engine, with a line of hose, firemen at the pipe, etc. It was highly appropriate to the occasion, and was fully appreciated by the fire ladders present.

—What might have been quite a serious affair occurred a few days ago. One of Mr. Spear's horses at work on the new street became frightened and ran with speed up the hill toward the Upper Falls. In trying to turn the corner at the junction of High street, the horse was thrown to the ground, receiving some severe cuts and bruises, but nothing of a serious nature.

—Work upon the new street to the station of Eliot is progressing very favorably. The contractor, Mr. C. H. Hale, a native of Upper Falls, and a man of considerable energy in his make-up, is pushing the work with his characteristic force, and we shall soon see not only a new street through the "craft field," but a new station for our accommodation.

—After a very long and painful sickness, Miss Charlotte L. Wheeler died on Saturday morning of last week. She was one who had identified herself with many social and benevolent enterprises of general interest to the village. Her life was one of unusual activity. For many years she was one of the teachers in our public schools. Later she carried on the store at the corner of Winter and Chestnut streets, succeeding her father in the business. Her funeral which occurred on Tuesday afternoon of this week was largely attended, and her remains were deposited in the Newton Cemetery.

—The High School scholars from this section

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—Mr. C. E. Johnson and family have returned from Europe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Justin Whittier are at Poland Springs, Me., for a fortnight.

—Mrs. Frank L. Juddkins and Miss Lillie Juddkins have returned from their western trip.

—Mrs. Wm. B. Crafts and maid, Miss R. B. Crafts, and Mrs. P. B. Blake are among the recent arrivals at the Hotel Hunnewell.

—Mr. Henry Tolman, Jr., and family have returned from Cutler, Me., where they have been for the summer.

—Mrs. N. P. Smith and family have taken apartments at Hotel Hurford in Boston, for the winter.

—Mr. J. Henry Bacon and family have returned to the city for a short visit to Mrs. Bacon's father, Mr. Henry Fuller.

—Dr. Field will return to Newton and resume his practice by the middle of October, as will be seen by a card in another column.

—As steam has been put in Hotel Hunnewell, Mr. Harwood has a number of wood and coal stoves which he will dispose of at a very low price.

—The Newton Horticultural Society's 32d annual exhibition of fruits, flowers and vegetables, next week, will attract many visitors to the City Hall.

—Judge Bragg and wife of Charlestown, who have been at Hotel Hunnewell for the summer, leave for their home next Monday.

—Mr. A. L. Rhynd's business has increased so that he has been compelled to seek larger quarters, and he has leased the corner store in Hyde's block, across the street from his present location.

—Mr. J. P. Cobb will resume lessons with pupils, both piano and vocal, at his music room, 5 Eliot Block, on Monday next, Sept. 20th. Pupils desiring special hours should consult Mr. Cobb at once.

—The Middlesex County Agricultural Exhibition will be held at Concord on Sept. 28 and 29. The Fitchburg Railroad will sell excursion tickets for 35 cents from Waltham.

—The Misses Lovejoy have returned from Marblehead Neck, where they have been passing the summer, and are visiting at Mr. H. M. Bates's residence on Jefferson street. They go to Hotel Hunnewell the first of October.

—Miss Cora Gualting, who has been the guest of Miss Page, Park street, left for her home in Smithfield, Virginia, on the 13th. During her stay among us Miss Gualting has made hosts of friends, whose best wishes follow her to her southern home.

—Mayor Kimball and Mr. Fisher Ames, of the High School Committee, have written a joint letter to the Boston & Albany authorities, asking for a reduction of fare for the High School scholars. The president and directors have a meeting on the 23d, when the matter will be considered.

—W. H. Huntley beat the American 100 mile record on Monday, but his unfortunate accident prevented his finishing his 24 hour ride. His friends were greatly disappointed, as he promised to do so well, and if the person who put the stone which caused his fall in the road could be found, he would have no mercy shown him.

—Burglars entered the office of Gilkey & Stone, the well-known lumber dealers of Watertown, last Saturday morning, blew off the safe door and took \$100 in cash besides papers of no money value. The damage to the safe is estimated at \$50. A window was pried open, and as the clock stopped at 2.30, that is supposed to have been the time of the explosion.

—A good deal of complaint is made of vicious dogs by pedestrians. It is not exactly pleasant when walking quietly along the street to be attacked by a big dog, and a number of children have been bitten during the past week. There is one on Hyde avenue and another on Bellevue street that are dangerous animals, and threats are made of prosecuting the owners.

—The funeral of Mr. George S. Trowbridge, which was held at his late residence, Peabody street, last Saturday afternoon, was very largely attended, and the floral offerings were many and beautiful. A large cross upon a floral mound, inscribed "Eliot Sunday School," and a large and beautiful representation of a closed book were the most noticeable, while the offerings of friends and from Eliot choir were fine. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Wellman of Malden, Mr. Trowbridge's former pastor, assisted by Rev. Mr. Baile of Melrose. Their addresses were exceedingly tender and appropriate. The body was borne to its last resting place in the beautiful lot recently purchased by the deceased in Newton Cemetery.

—A West Newton correspondent sends the following tribute to the late George S. Trowbridge: "The voice of the 'sweet singer of Israel' is hushed in death. Many of us were not privileged to enjoy him socially, but those of us who have listened to his pleasant voice in the sanctuary, or further back in the annals of our 'Farmers' Festival,' when he was one of the number to entertain us musically, cannot forget the beautiful 'moss covered bucket,' in which his voice rang out and thrilled us with unwonted pleasure. So, long since, thoughts of him have become identified with those enjoyable evenings. In the sad bereavement which his wife sustains, she has the warmest sympathy of all who remember

the double tie of music and love that has been sundered.

—Miss Mary Chaffin has taken rooms for the winter at Hotel Hunnewell.

—Miss Alice Angier is visiting friends in Worcester, Mass.

—Mr. E. T. Holmes, the electrician, has returned from New York, and will reside again in Newton.

—The Baby Pathfinder for September is out, with all the latest corrections in time tables, and is a necessity to all travellers.

—The wills of Mrs. Louisa Bernstill and of Mrs. Sarah Crain, both of this city, were presented for probate at the East Cambridge court on Wednesday.

—Mr. James A. Sawtelle of Charlestown has rented Mrs. Walker's residence on Washington street, near Waverley avenue, and will take possession in October.

—The owners of the syndicate property on Waverley avenue are putting the place in first class order, preparatory to the auction sale next week.

—R. J. Renton has successfully compromised with his creditors by paying 35 per cent in cash. His liabilities were about \$3,800.

—Miss Edith Ballister, Miss Josie Lilly, Mr. and Mrs. Channing Lilly, Mr. Daniel Dewey and Miss Helen P. Dewey, all of this city, sailed for Europe Thursday morning, in the Cephalonia, from Boston.

—Mr. S. M. Sayford, the evangelist, will conduct the Friday evening prayer meeting in Eliot church vestry, at 7 1-2 o'clock. His theme will be the "I knows" of the Bible.

—Mr. Horace Walton, teacher of music in the public schools, has leased Mr. H. E. Hibbard's house on Jefferson street, and will remove here from Newtonville, with his family.

—Mr. Stephen A. Emery of this city was elected one of the executive committee at the sixth annual meeting of the descendants of John and Anthony Emery, in Boston, on Tuesday.

—James Denny of this city, while riding on the wagon of H. M. Crowley in Haymarket square, Boston, Monday afternoon, fell from the seat, and striking his head on the pavement, received a bad gash on his head. His wound was dressed by Dr. Elliott, and he was brought home.

—Burnham promised to make a magnificent record at Springfield, and did some fine work until his fall on Wednesday disabled him. Crocker did some wonderul work in the three mile tricycle race which he won. Both men are expected in Newton to-morrow.

—Rev. F. B. Hornbrooke arrived home somewhat unexpectedly last Saturday evening, and Sunday preached at West Newton. His family came this week. Sunday he will preach at his own church, and the Sunday school sessions will be resumed after the morning service.

—The pleasant home of Mr. Harry Brooks on Sargent street was the scene of a very charming affair on Wednesday evening. The occasion was a birthday celebration given by Misses Helen and Alice Brooks. They entertained a large number of little friends in a most royal manner.

—Mr. H. J. Woods conducted the Y. M. C. A. meeting last Sunday in Eliot lower hall. The subject was largely the death of Mr. Geo. S. Trowbridge, and various incidents in his life illustrating his readiness for every Christian work. The singing was led by Mr. H. A. Ball. Rev. H. F. Titus will preach next Sunday at 4 p. m., and all are invited.

—The Boston Herald had a lengthy account on Thursday of the foul condition of the Charles River at Watertown. The water is too low to carry off the foul matter emptied in it, and the smell is almost unbearable to those working in the factories along the river. The aid of the State board of health is to be invoked.

—The special delivery system will be extended to all post-offices and all mailable matter on October first, and the postoffice department will make use of all available means to promote the success of the special delivery system. Ladies shopping in town can have their purchases sent home by mail if they desire, and the new arrangement will be a great convenience. Postmaster Latta has a copy of the regulations posted up in the Newton office.

—Rev. Dr. Shinn's talk on Sunday morning, to his hearers in Grace Church, was a pleasant summary of his Sundays while away. We have space for but a few brief comments. The first Sunday, he said, was spent on the steamer, in the midst of the grandeur of old ocean. The usual custom of reading the service of the church was adhered to, and its usual impressiveness was intensified by the surroundings. He spoke of how impressed one was (on the other side) by the tremendous power wielded by the Komish church, which power seemed never to touch the moral nature of the individual, nor the practically religious life of the people. He also pleasantly described the modern Greek church, in one place, where was held on Sundays a preaching service, very sparsely attended; and on Fridays, in the same church, a grand promenade organ concert was given, which was always sure of an overflowing and extremely sociable audience. He referred to the curious coincidence, of two Newton clergymen having officiated at a service in one place, and a vestryman of Grace Church having passed the plate at the same service. He spoke with enthusiasm of his enjoyable trip, but expressed

his gratification at being in the midst of his own people again.

—Mrs. J. Frances and Mrs. Daniel Dewey and daughter, of this city, arrived from Europe last week.

—Mrs. Ednah D. Cheney has been for a week or two the guest of the Misses Shannon, of this city, at their charming house on "The Ledge," at Bar Harbor.

—The attendance at the several schools in Wards One and Seven: Bigelow School, Mr. H. Chapin Sawin, Master.—Grade 4, 71; 5, 42; 6, 56; 7, 61; 8, 39; 9, 37. Total, 306. Lincoln School.—Grade 1, 28; 2, 13. Total, 41. Underwood School.—Grade 1, 45; 2, 59; 3, 57. Total, 159. The total in both wards is 506.

—Rev. and Mrs. Francis N. Peloubet have issued invitations to the marriage ceremony of their daughter, Grace Thaxter, to Mr. David Webber Farquhar, on Wednesday, Sept. 22, at the Congregational Church, Natick, at 7.30 in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Farquhar will sail for Liverpool the following day, and be at home Wednesdays in January at Mr. Farquhar's residence on Pembroke street, in this city.

—James G. Blaine, Jr., who was a private pupil of Mr. Waterhouse of this city for several months, and paid a long visit here last summer, was married in the rectory of St. Leo's Roman Catholic Church in New York, a week ago last Monday, to Miss Marie Nevins, daughter of Col. Richard Nevins of Columbus, O. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Thomas J. Ducey, pastor of the church. Young Mr. Blaine is 20 years old and the lady only 19, and the parents of both knew nothing of the affair until afterwards.

—Mr. Henry E. Cobb, of Brewster, Cobb & Easterbrook, started this week for a trip through the western part of the state in his four-in-hand, taking Mrs. Cobb and a party of ladies and gentlemen. They left this city Wednesday, going through Concord, Groton, Fitchburg and Greenfield, down the Connecticut valley to Springfield; and then home by way of Worcester. The other ladies and gentlemen, beside Mr. and Mrs. Cobb, are Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Marsh, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Nickerson and Mr. and Mrs. J. Sturgis Potter. The party expects to be absent about ten days.

Drill in the High School.

The Committee on the High School met on Wednesday evening, and resolved to make several important recommendations to the Board. One was to have the drill optional for members of the first class, and to exempt those of the fourth class who do not come up to a proper physical requirement. Another was to elect Capt. Brown instructor of the military drill. They also favored continuing the use of the barges for pupils from Upper Falls and the Centre until the new railroad made better arrangements. The erection of a building to be used not only for military drill but for gymnastics, exhibitions, etc., was asked for, to cost about \$5,000. All of these matters will be brought before the Board at the next meeting.

No Street Railway Wanted.

To the Editor of the Graphic:
From your discussion of the Street Railway matter, which is to have a hearing next Monday night, it appears that there is a question as to the power of the Board of Aldermen in the matter. The lawyers differ, but there is no question about the railway itself. It would prove a first class nuisance to every citizen who owned a team, and also to all who drive occasionally through our beautiful streets.

A street railway is not needed here, and this company, composed of restless Newtonvillians, calmly propose to take possession of the best streets of the city for their own benefit. I have as yet seen no statement that they propose to pay the city one cent for their charter, or in any way make compensation for their appropriation of the street.

Unfortunately the main streets of this city are narrow, and with a double horse railroad track, there would be no room left for driving. Take Centre street, for instance, with its beautiful road bed and handsome residences, street cars would ruin this street, and no resident, as far as I can learn, desires the road. All who do not live near the Newton Corner and Newton Centre depots keep carriages, to convey them to and fro, and they would rarely if ever use the street cars. The street is narrow, and pleasure driving would be almost impossible.

Washington street, between Newton Corner and West Newton, is also so narrow in spots that the tracks would take up all the road. None of the residents thereon are more than a half mile from the railroad depot, and the frequency of trains accommodates most of those who go between the different villages.

Walnut street, another handsome avenue, would also be ruined for driving purposes by a street railway, and it is needed there less than on any other street in the city.

If the company wishes to build a street railway, let them build it on the west side of the railroad track, to North village and along that locality, where the residents may possibly need it, but if the board of Aldermen has any power, it should refuse to grant a location on the east side of the railroad, where a street railroad is not needed, and none of the residents desire it.

I hope those opposed to the road will turn out in force on Monday night, and oppose the proposed location on Park, Centre, and Walnut streets, and on Washington street, above West Newton.

CENTRE STREET.

Newton, Sept. 12, 1886.

THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

The council held its first meeting after the summer vacation, Monday night, with President French in the chair. The following were present: Councilmen Fiske, Dix, Redpath, Johnson, Chadwick, Atterton, Billings, Pond, Edmonds, Ross, Coffin, Hollis, and Kennedy.

Papers from the board of aldermen were received and disposed of in concurrence, without debate.

Messrs. Hollis and Dearborn were appointed to serve with Alderman Dearborn on the committee to fill the vacancy on the board of overseers of the poor, caused by the death of Mr. Dexter Whipple.

A communication was received from the county officials, stating that the city of Newton had been made the 17th Middlesex representative district, and was entitled to two representatives.

A petition was received from A. W. D. Huff, asking for the grading of the sidewalks and setting of curbstones on the southerly side of Elmwood street and the westerly side of Park street; referred to the highway committee.

A communication was received from W. C. Strong, W. B. Locke, Ezra Hawkes, and Geo. W. Hawkes, citizens and land owners, asking that the city engineer be authorized to make surveys and plans, in order to indicate the best location and grades for a boulevard not less than 100 feet wide, from a point near the junction of Beacon and Chestnut streets, to a point on Washington street, near the Woodland station of the Boston & Albany circuit road; referred to the highway committee.

The board then took a recess until 8 p. m., the time set for a hearing on the acceptance and grading of Kingsbury street. At that hour no one appeared, the hearing was declared closed, and the council adjourned, after one of the shortest meetings on record.

[Correspondence of the Graphic.]

Summer Saunterings.

No. 9.

ST. LOUIS HOTEL, QUEBEC, P. Q.

A council of war, held the night of arrival here, decided to vary the program by "doing" Quebec before visiting the Saguenay, though two of our fellow-voyagers on the Miramichi embarked the very next morning for that delightful trip. This "Ancient Capital," almost every foot of which is classic ground, imperceptibly grows upon one till the affections are won, and every word Howells has so delightfully written in "A Chance Acquaintance" is more than endorsed. Wandering about the city at one's own sweet will, the most delightful surprises are experienced at every turn. The military aspect of the city is ever prominent, the Citadel, which covers an area of about forty acres, frowning down from the highest part of Cape Diamond; the massive walls; the cannon of the Grand Battery and others scattered about the walls; and the forts of Levis, all combine in proclaiming Quebec the impregnable! The older streets are narrow, irregular, and those leading from the "Lower Town" are decidedly precipitous. One quite wonders how the horses manage to climb them! The houses are solidly built, many balconied, and picturesque, with a predominating number of ecclesiastical buildings, churches, convents, hospitals, and the like. The "Carters" of Quebec are indescribable, and for indefatigable, good-natured "tooting" are unequalled outside of the Emerald Isle itself. One stand is very near the St. Louis, another, opposite the site of the Jesuits' Barracks, and one who intends to spend some time in the city, and to investigate points near at hand quite independently, must be prepared to run the gauntlet every time a ramble is taken. The people who throng the streets claim more than a passing notice, being a motley and decidedly cosmopolitan crowd. The alert, bright-eyed French; grave, dignified English; the American tourists, who come in shoals; sisters in every variety of habit; lay-brothers in cassocks, bands, shovels, hats, and cloaks; priests and bishops in ecclesiastical garb, and with clean-shaven faces, whose clear-cut features, especially among the French Jesuits in charge of Laval University and the Seminary of Quebec, are indicative of great intellectual culture; soldiers with their clanking swords and spurs, and scarlet and gold lace in great profusion; and even a Friar, a Missioner from the Soudan, in a striking white habit, over which is worn a large rosary, a scarlet "fez" surmounting the head, and the feet shod with sandals, all these may be met during a short ramble. Taken in connection with the French signs, the continual French chatter which is heard, the Rue Ste. Anne or Rue Ste. — well, all the Saints in the calendar are represented, so there is no use in enumerating them! — the busy market places, with their scores of market-women and crowds of cheapening customers; the city gates, through which one must pass to get without the walls, all these combine to make one feel very travelled and foreign, and as if it were all a bit of the Old World.

Then the Terrace, where every evening may be witnessed a stately promenade, enlivened on certain evenings of the week by a concert by the Garrison Band. The fascination of the Terrace is just at sunset, when the sky is so wonderfully clear and brightened by the glowing tints, so indescribably beautiful, which are peculiar to the sunsets here; the river beneath, on whose bosom ride ships from many nations; the charming Laurentian Mountains, purpling in the twilight; the Beauport Meadows, the Isle of Orleans and Point Levis; all these seen from the Terrace, which is built around Cape Diamond two hundred feet above the St. Lawrence, and overlooking the Lower Town, form a most magnificent view; and the "Angelus" floating over the water from the many-towered bells of all the Roman Churches in the city and neighboring villages, adds a charm to that which was altogether charming before.

The Chapel of the Ursulines is most interesting. On the right of the principal

alter is a large grating which separates the church from the choir in which the nuns attend the divine service. Being cloistered they never leave their cloister, and are entirely concealed by this wooden screen; the distant sound of their voices as they take part in the service is strange, but peculiarly pleasant. Within the Chapel lie buried the remains of Gen. Montcalm, who fell Sept. 13, 1759. The spot is indicated by a marble slab bearing this inscription:

Honneur
à
Montcalm!
Le Destin en Lui Derobant
La Victoire
L'a récompense par
Une Mort Glorieuse!

The drives about Quebec are delightful, but one cannot attempt to describe, or even to enumerate all; that to the Falls of Montmorency, however, deserves especial mention. A fine view of the valley of the St. Charles is obtained, and the drive through Beauport is like a little glimpse of Normandy. Indeed it is hard to believe that it is not a transplanted Normandy village! Bright-eyed, active, little French boys and girls run up to the carriages as they pass, offering bouquets, hoping to receive a few pennies in return, chattering volubly the while, and running beside the carriages for some distance. The Falls are two hundred and forty-five feet in height, and are very beautiful, though lacking the magnificence and grandeur of Niagara. Two cut stone pillars stand like sentinels either side of the Falls, the remains of the Suspension Bridge destroyed in 1856. A most delightfully quaint Guide Book, written in English by a Frenchman, speaks thus of the circumstances. "The bridge broke away while a man and his wife in a cart and a little boy were crossing. All were precipitated in the abyss with the bridge, and never the least parcel neither of the bridge nor of the cart was seen again." This book is as amusing as a volume of Mark Twain, the most ridiculous things being said in serious earnest, the writer never once suspecting he is saying anything funny! Driving home at sunset the most charming views of the city and harbor of Quebec, as well as of the suburbs, are constantly enjoyed.

One of the most entertaining things in Quebec is to watch the ordinary American tourist, who rushes through the city doing the regulation thing. This is a specimen: Breakfast; a turn on the Terrace, where no one is ever seen in the daytime save a Tourist; a dash through the Citadel; Governor's Garden, the most forlorn and discouraged looking spot! Then a drive seeing what may be seen from the carriage, a bird's eye view is so satisfactory. More than a dozen have been seen walking in solemn procession up St. Louis street. Then one knows what to expect. They will advance to No. 42, a little, old, one-story house, where the body of Gen. Montgomery was laid out, they will stop and gaze, they all do, you know, and then pass on to the next thing.

One had better stay at home than attempt to "do" a place in a day or two in this way. Weeks have been delightfully spent here in times past, and yet there is much, much more to be seen and enjoyed even now. Dozens of letters would not exhaust the beauties and peculiarities of Quebec, but time presses. Would you know more of this unique and interesting old city, come and see; but come and stay long enough to ramble about in the Lower Town, to wander hither and yon, to drive here, there, and everywhere, till you learn to regard dear old Quebec as enthusiastically as does

SEDEGWORTH.

[Written for the Graphic.]

Sun-baths.

When we consider that the sun is the material source of all the life in this planet, it would seem material to turn to it for health also. Much attention has been given of late years to solar phenomena. Some have been making a specialty of the subject. Professor Langtry, (whom we claim as of Newton Centre origin), has achieved already a world-wide reputation for original discoveries in this line. But to the languid invalid, solar phenomena have a different kind of interest. The most brilliant scientific theories awakened but faint response in a brain weakened by disease and throbbing anguish. It is claimed that the solar rays having actinic or chemical properties, are also medicinal. Our water-baths, both hot and cold, have become a necessity of life to some, and a luxury to all. No respectable house is considered tenable without conveniences for the application of water to the surface of the body in all seasons of the year. Doubtless, general health and longevity are thereby greatly promoted. It is one of the many ameliorating processes growing out of an advanced civilization. Water-baths are likely soon to be supplemented by sun-baths, which, in addition to water-works, will be required among the "all modern improvements" of first class residences; a bath-room for hot and cold water, and a glass room to be used when occasion requires, for basking in the full rays of the sun. Tinted rays, the violet, the blue, and the yellow, will be invoked by appropriate mechanical devices, so that the invalid may sit in a bath of such color as may be found to be most effective or agreeable. An artificial summer can thus be brought in a new way to our inhospitable climate, and delicate nerves be shielded still more from the severe alternation of the seasons. Architects and builders will do well to look up the subject, for it is an improvement that brings its own credentials, and has come to stay. One of our citizens is about building an addition this fall, in order to have the benefit of the sun-baths during the coming winter and spring. We have been kindly permitted to see his plans. It will be a glass room on the south side of his house, projected from the second story, and over the front entrance. The sides and the pitched roof will be of thick plate glass, some of the panes stained. There will be a furnace register and also an open fireplace. Sydney G. Stevens has the contract, a sufficient guarantee that the work will be quickly done and according to the plans. S. B. G.

Newton Centre.

Rev. Mr. Metcalf in Europe.

In a letter to a friend, Rev. Mr. Metcalf, rector of the church of the Messiah in Auburn, writes from Nuremberg:—

"Yesterday I had one of the greatest musical treats of my life, for I heard Wagner's Parsifal at Bayreuth. The scenic effects in this opera are something marvellous, very different to anything else in the world. The building, which seats fifteen hundred, was full, representatives of all nationalities being present. There must have been two or three hundred English and Americans. It was constructed according to Wagner's own ideas, and, strange to say, every seat seems to be equally good for seeing the stage. The orchestra is under the stage, and out of sight, and during the performance the whole building is in almost total darkness, the stage alone excepted. Going into the Frauenkirche this morning, I found service going on. Near me there knelt, or tried to kneel, an old, old man, with long white hair, and to hear that old man sing, with no book, and in good Latin, in a soprano voice, cracked and quavering, was very affecting. Just outside the church is a large square, or market place, as quaint as can be imagined, where withered and shrivelled crones have vegetables for sale, and fruit, and poultry. Many of them, too, were at the service, bonnetless, shoeless, their large baskets beside them, and they were just as devout as the old man. Their lives are very hard ones. Most of the morning they were out in the market place, the rain beating down upon them, but every morning there would be the open church to which they could go. Without the rain, within, the beautiful church with magnificent paintings, the finest work of the Nuremberg school in the first half of the fifteenth century. It must be, this church, a very Himmelsleiter to these poor old souls, weary with the burdens of life. Waiting a little while after service, a bridal party happened to come in, and some of these women with their baskets came and knelt on the stone floor not far from the bridal party. Little children were there, too, in their bare feet. Nobody was told to stand here, or sit there, because they were poor. Our church has yet much to learn as to God's House being a place where every one may feel at home.

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CITY OF
NEWTON.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, at the next regular meeting, on Monday Evening, Sept. 20th, at 7:30 o'clock, hear all parties upon the petition of the Newton Street Railway, for leave to "construct, maintain, and operate a street railway, with single or double tracks, and with convenient and suitable turnouts and switches, from near the northerly side of the Boston and Albany Railroad, in that part of Newton called Newton Centre, near the railroad station; thence westerly through Institution avenue to Beacon street; thence westerly through Beacon street to Walnut street; thence northerly through Walnut street to Washington street; thence westerly through Washington street and Auburn street to that part of Newton called Auburndale; and also from the corner of said Walnut and Washington streets easterly through Washington street to that part of Newton called Newton Corner; also, from a point on Bowers street, in Newtonville, near the railroad station, through Bowers street to Walnut street, to connect with the proposed line on Walnut street."

"Also, from about the point of intersection of said proposed line with the track of the Cambridge Railway at said Newton Corner, along said Washington street, crossing the Boston and Albany Railroad to Park street; thence along Park street to Tremont street; thence along Tremont street to the dividing line between said City of Newton and City of Boston; also, from the junction of said Auburn street and Washington street along said Washington street to a point near the junction of said Washington street with the Circuit Railroad, so called, of the Boston and Albany Railroad; also, from the junction of said Beacon street and Walnut street southerly along said Walnut street to a point near the railroad station in that part of Newton called Newton Highlands."

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Ward 2.

Abbott, Curtis	\$108 56
Allen, Harriet N	141 20
Allen, Sarah E and Ellen Valentine	194 40
Avery, Charles F	290
Bacon, Joseph N	154 08
Balley, James W, heirs, and Mary P Warren	158 40
Bancher, M. Madara	2,015 12
Bemis, Seth	144
Bemis, Sarah W	106 56
Billings, Abby A	102 08
Birney, Charles E	112 32
Birney, Sarah A	100 80
Bird, Mary H T	253 44
Bridges, Geo E	110 60
Bridgman, Prescott C	196 84
Brigham, Lucy A	126 72
Brigham, Elijah, heirs	146
Bryant, Nathaniel H	215 12

Byers, Mary J	303 84
Carter, Paluma A	100 80
Chaffin, John C	100 80
Chisholm, Mary J	108 40
Clark, Mary E	191 52
Clark, Owen F	143 12
Clafin, William	3,512 72

Clafin, Wm, Dupree, James A, Clark, Ed-	754 78
mund C, trustees of the estate of M H	
Sanford	410 96
Clark, Theodore M	100 80
Coffin, Mary H et al	208 80
Craft, Laura	208 80
Curtis, Ann R	313 70
Curtis, Alonzo P	426 07

Dennison, Wm B	110
Dewson, Francis A	359 12
Dewson, Martha J	151 20
Dewson, Francis A and John I Roberts	165 60
Dickinson, John W	107 10
Doane, Alfred	110

Eddy, Caleb P	207 36
Eldridge, Elizabeth T	1,307 52
Elliott, David, heirs	115 20
Field, Edwin	261 20
Gilman, James E	114 32
Greene, Mary E	122 40
Griffin, Emily C	136 80
Gould, Geo W	246 80
Hall, Verne P	144

Harkins, Cornelius P	134 58
Harkins, Margaret C	138 24
Harrington, Daniel, heirs	100 80
Hawley, Wm	210 80
Hayes, Mrs Mary P	288
Higgins, Mrs Lydia	239 20
Heath, Daniel C	167 60
Hunt, Otis E	213 68

Jackson, Samuel M	217 20
Jones, Sophia F	140 48
Judkins, Mary F	115 20
Keyes, Hale L	187 20
Kimball, Ella P	249 68
Kimball, Joanna L	144
Kimball, Matilda J	115 20
Kimball, Lillie M	158 40
Lancey, Dustin, and Leavitt, O B	128 60

Lothrop, John F	228 08
Littfield, Amanda M	102 24
Lockett, John E	174 40
McAdams, Wm	242 48
Mitchell, Austin R	920 72
Mitchell, Louisa S	288
Morse, George	383 60
Morse, Geo W and Mitchell, Austin R	208 44
Morehouse, Mary F	108
Morse, Clara R	135 36

Murphy, Ellen	151 20
Page, Mrs Percia A	129 60
Page, Mrs Lydia M	194 40
Page, Mrs Kate	256 32
Parker, Henrietta N, mortgagor	374 40
Park, Amos A	172 80
Pease, Eliza E	115 20
Phipps, Albert	327 44
Pulsifer, Charles S	321 08

Pulsifer, Ella F	201 60
Pulsifer, Royal M	391 08
Puffer, Mary J	144
Pulsifer, Royal M, trustee for G Carter	144
Putnam, Samuel P	102 80
Redpath, Ellis W	254
Richards, James L	139 60
Roberts, John L and F A Dewson, trustees	184 40
Rollins, Augusta L	172 80
Rollins, Fitz S	272 72

Ross, Henry F	488 72
Ross, Cloelia	194 40
Rumery, Mary A	108
Rumery, Wm M	125 84
Sacker, H Henry	146
Shaw, Fayette	146
Sherrman, Marcia C	122 40
Simmons, Catherine	151 20
Simpson, Eliza Jane	129 60
Smead, Doria, heirs	144
Smith, Nellie H	708
Smith, Charlotte C	276 48
Soden, Arthur H	333 20
Sturges, Mary D	108 72
Taintor, Emily J	128 16
Tilden, Mary E	18 08

Trowbridge, Mahala M	303 84
Towne, Charlotte M	303 84
Trotter, Edward F	256 88
Upton, Albert F	219 44
Vose, Nathaniel D	110
" Mary E	151 20
Waterhouse, Francis A	225 20
Wiswall, Edmund T	216 56
Wilson, Carrie C	144
Woodman, George S	148 88
Worcester, Rev John, trustee	144
Worcester, Rev John	232 40

Non-Residents.

Aetna Mills	\$216
Boston & Albany Railroad Corporation	201 60
Bent, Ann Eliza	100 80
Brackett, Cephas H	144
Brown, Abigail L	136 80
Carter, Isabel W	136 80
Dennison, E J	204 48
Fuller, Granville	225 36
Fawcett, Nathaniel W	168 48
Fluther, John, heirs	161 28
Gay, Albert	100 80
Harrington, Charles et al	640 80
Jones, Emma N	100 80
Noves, Horatio S, heirs	100 80
Richardson, Elizabeth R	197 28
Stadley, Wm H, heirs	106 56
Teele, John O	187 20
Trustees will of John W Trull	214 48
Nantucket Institution for Savings	216
Nonantum Worsted Company	3,103 20
Silver Lake Company	1,702 80
Wareham Savings Bank	145 44

Ward 3.

Allen, James T	\$251 19
Barker, Henry A	226 64
Billings, Charles E	583 20
Billings, Henry Willard	271 15
Bullivant, Willie P	208 80
Bush, Wilder M	651 44
Bel, Mary A G	142 56
Biles, Louisa C	156 96
Brackett, C H and Albert	180 00
Breck, Henry	125 84
Brennan, Patrick	127 28
Buckman, Clifford N	108 56
Burage, Ruby M	125 28
Burrage, Edward C	174 80
Blanchard, Anna W	108 12
Carpenter, Vernon E	958 88
Carter, John W	275 60
Clark, Sarah L	205 92
Cook, George	559 28
Carter, Carrie G	177 12
Chase, Martha C B	139 68
Child, Eliza F	122 48
Clafin, William	159 84
Clark, Mary J W	175 67
Davis, Seth	453 30
Davis, Chas D	100 64
Davis, Warren	137 36
Dix, Jonathan D	128 90

Dix, William	138 61
Dowse, Fanny R	116 04
Eager, John C	266 96
Eddy, John F	364 88
Eddy, John J	216 56
Eddy, Georgianna W	132 48
Eldridge, Elizabeth T	194 40
Ellis, Caroline E	135 36
Estabrook, Theodore A	108 16
Felton, Luther H	325 28
Felton, Sarah P	247 68
Felton, Laura B	313 92
Field, George A	333 20
Fitz, Sarah M	259 20
Fleming, Edwin	334 40
Frost, Almira	270 72
Fiske, Andrew J	107 84
Fleming, Anna	115 20
Poster, Caroline R	108 00
Freeman, Frederick W	135 56
Freeman, Harriet M	125 38
Frost, George	156 80
Frost, Louis O B	165 60
Frost, Isaac, heirs	136 80
Fuller, J Franklin	117 56
Fuller, George F	114 32
Gane, Henry A	1,013 60
Garrison, Annie A	234 72
Godfrey, Anna E	230 40
Gammans, Louise A	140 60
Gates, Francis A, heirs	128 88
Gibbs, Laura J	138 88
Glover, A. Henry	108 00
Gould, Henry A	156 08
Gould, Thekla C	146 88
Hastings, Jane M	302 64
Homer, George W	275 60
Hosmer, Mary D	276 48
Houghton, Benj F	255 82
Houghton, Alvin	545 37
Howland, David	558 75
Hunter, Frank E and Mary S	302 40
Hall, Alice D	188 64
Homer, Oliver D	122 64
Hosmer, Charles L	114 32
Howard, Helen M	172 80
Hunter, Mary S	108 00
Jernahn, Louisa and Helen	138 24
Kendall, Martha A	273 60
Killbuck, Samuel S	495 92
King, Florence H	201 60
Kelly, Thomas	100 64
King, Henry F	153 92
Lawrence, Wm F, trustee	259 20
Leonard, Lucy E	257 76
Lindsay, John W	219 44
Lovett, Geo L	302 00
Lovett, Caroline A	205 92
Laubert, Henry	148 88
Lawrence, William F	109 28
Leatherbe, Horriet G	169 92
Leonard, Carrie L	192 80
Lovell, Samuel, heirs	122 40
Lucas, Rebecca H	105 12
Lyford, Anna M	310 16
Macne, Wm H	202 02
McDonald, Michael	470 72
Metcalfe, Albert	105 32
Marsh, Edward A	105 12
Maynard, Emeline	111 67
Merrill, Mary C	122 24
Morton, Marcus M	541 44
Newton National Bank	714 08
Nickerson, James H	129 60
Newell, Sarah H	125 28
Newton Second Congregational Society	144 00
Newton and Watertown Gas Light Co	327 24
Pratt, Ladius G	2,150 80
Putnam, Mary E	233 28
Parsons, Samuel, heirs	148 32
Perry, Susan B	151 20
Peters, Andrew	114 32
Pilplinton, Clarissa M	185 76
Potter, Andrew B	117 78
Pulsifer, Royal M	132 48
Robinson, Chas Jr	730 64
Roffe, Albert H	302 40
Reed, Celia A	100 80
Secomb, Adella G	239 04
Shattuck, Elizabeth M	204 48
Smith, Adolphus, heirs	275 04
Stone, Joseph L	381 44
Stone, Almira A	252 00
Stuart, Timothy E, heirs	315 28
Stewart, Francis M	182 88
Stowe, Jeanette P	125 28
Thacher, Margaret L	204 48
Tiffany, Francis	251 12
Tobbetts, Mary P	110 88
Tolman, Eliza F	148 16
Tolman, James P	157 09
Tolman, May C	194 40
Towne, Emma G	136 80
Thacher, Peter and Stephen	128 88
Upham, Edward	223 76
Whitmore, Joseph B	222 32
Wilbur, Geo B	2,131 76
Wood, Elijah W	389 36
Wood, Mary Ellen	228 96
Wadsworth, Marcus M	146 00
Wadsworth, Marie E	148 40
Wadsworth, Lucy A	154 08
Walton, George A	138 80
Wheeler, Asahel	115 76
Whitmore, George P	140 24
Wise, Caroline E	158 40
Wiswall, Edmund T	143 36

Non-Residents.	\$126 72
Allen, Joseph A	364 32
Boston & Albany R R Co	308 16
Brackett, Horace, heirs	374 40
Davison, Charlotte S	249 12
Day, Henry B	112 32
Gault, Charles F	144 00
Kempton, Maria R	115 20
Kane, Horatio	213 12
Lambert, William B	146 76
Macaulay, Martha M	149 88
Richardson, Joseph L, trustee	129 60
Shaw, Lemuel, and Edw W Hooper, exec's	141 12
Sherwin, Sarah E	116 64
Tucker, Gilman H	361 44
Valentine, Lawson	100 80
Waltham Savings Bank	105 12
White, Benj L	

Ward 4.	\$269 28
Atkinson, Elizabeth A L	107 28
Anburdale Congregational Society	101 36
Bourne, Chas B	101 36
Bourne, Wm F, heirs, and Benj	369 20
Braman, James C	145 44
Briggs, Sarah A	155 84
Brown, Eliza T	169 94
Bullard, Robert S	1,736 48
Burr, Chas C	144 00
Carlton, Geo J, heirs	108 80
Chamberlain, Daniel, heirs	270 27
Coffin, Geo R	459 36
Cordley, Wm S & F	138 08
Cordley, Frank	1,127 36
Corchore, Chas F	112 32
Darling, Chas H, heirs	120 98
Davis, Joseph	11 16
Dolan, John	207 92
Dutton, Horace	105 60
Dutton, Francis N	
Davis, George I, trustee for Mrs. Mary J.	172 80
Strong	147 60
Eager, Olive G	100 08
Earl, Harriet M	175 32
Eaton, Emeline R	318 08
Estabrook, Rufus	158 40
Farley, Pamela H	102 24
Fisk, Sarah M	118 08
Fuller, J Franklin	195 45
Gilman, Mary G	315 92
Gordon, James M	112 32
Greely, Benj J	224 76
Hackett, Alice H	175 68
Halford, Wm	253 44
Hall, Julia W	2,255 96
Hardy, Ella Bates	172 80
Haskell, Edwin B	108 68
Harvey, Carrie H	140 24
Holbrook, Anthony, heirs	222 32
Hunt, Harriet A, heirs	145 44
Hutchinson, George	747 20
Johnson, Charles H	192 88
Johnson, Geo L	135 20
Johnson, Frederick	177 12
Jordan, Joshua L	167 76
Knap, Geo B	654 32
Landwehr, Chas B	219 24
Latimer, Ann E	110 88
Lee, Joseph	225 20
Lilly, Channing	107 84
Little, Helen M	252 00
Mather, Henry H	203 60
McVicar, Peter A	
Miller, Oliver S	
Mosman, Nathan	

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THE STATE SENATORSHIP.

The discussion over the coming Senator from this district is fast reaching a lively stage, and the number of candidates that have sprung up shows that the party is in a healthy condition. So far, Representative E. W. Wood of this city is the most prominent candidate, although a half dozen others are mentioned. Representative Erskine Worden of Waltham is talked of in his home town; Ex-Representative W. H. Ingraham of Watertown has many warm supporters; Representative J. Varnum Fletcher of Belmont is favored by the outside towns, and Senator Scott of Lexington would not object to a third term.

In the convention there will be fourteen delegates from Newton, thirteen from Waltham, and twelve from the other towns. The Boston Advertiser, in discussing the matter, says that the politicians of Newton are pushing the claims of Mr. Wood, but we think this is a mistake. As far as we can learn, the Newton politicians are opposed to Mr. Wood, as they do not regard him as a candidate whom they can control. This will hardly prove an objection to Mr. Wood, and Newton people who admire Mr. Wood's independence of character, and endorse his able course in the legislature, should see to it that they are well represented at the caucuses, when the delegates are chosen.

The Advertiser attempts to inject an utterly foreign question into the campaign by insinuating that "just now Mr. Wood's position in the Long-Dawes matter is a subject of inquiry." What this has to do with the Senatorship we are at a loss to discover. Mr. Wood may favor Mr. Long or Mr. Dawes or Governor Robinson, or any other worthy candidate, but this question has nothing to do with the Senatorship, and the attempt of the Advertiser to introduce it at this time is calculated to do Mr. Long more harm than good. It is not of paramount importance that Mr. Long should be sent to the national Senate; the State would probably get along with Mr. Dawes for another term as well as it has in the past; but it is of paramount importance that the State should have upright, clean and able men in the State senate and legislature. To demand that a candidate shall be the personal follower of Mr. Long, or Mr. Dawes either for that matter, as the only thing needful, is a view of the case unworthy of the Advertiser and of any patriotic citizen.

If a majority of the people of the district desire Mr. Long's success, they can adopt resolutions at the various caucuses to that effect, and the nominee of the convention would probably feel bound by such action. The convention could be manipulated, possibly, but the caucuses would probably represent the state of public sentiment, although Mr. Long's followers might not care to run such a risk.

THE DISTRICT ATTORNEYSHIP.

In our issue of last week, we took occasion to say that we believed that the best interests of the citizens of Middlesex county would be subserved by the election of a new District Attorney this fall. There is certain to be a vigorous opposition to the renomination of Mr. William B. Stevens, the present incumbent, in the convention which meets at Lowell on October 6th, and there is good reason to believe that he will not be nominated again. The citizens of Newton have more than a general interest in the matter, such as all residents in the county must feel, from the fact that the most prominent candidate opposed to Mr. Stevens is Mr. Edward Cate, of this city.

Mr. Cate has served in both branches of our city government, resigning the position of alderman some three years since to accept the presidency of the Newton Water Board, which position he now holds. His connection with our public affairs has been marked by faithfulness and ability. He is a graduate of Harvard college and also of the law school of that university, and is a man of rare ability and unimpeachable character. Lawyers best acquainted with him rank him as one of the best lawyers of his years at the Middlesex bar, and predict that he will make an exceptionally good district attorney. Mr. Cate's eminent fitness for the office in question is conceded even by Mr. Stevens' friends, and that he will receive the unanimous vote of the Newton delegation goes without saying.

PRESIDENT WADE of the Mexican Central road has returned home from Mexico, and he presents the famous Cutting case in a new light. He says there was no excitement about the case save in newspaper offices, and that the whole affair was grossly

exaggerated. He does not regard the Mexican republic as an ideal government, but he does not believe that there is any more injustice done in their courts than in our own. Mr. Wade's business gives him an opportunity to gain an unprejudiced idea of affairs in Mexico, and his statements are without the bias of the professional politician, who hopes to make a point for his party by skillful exaggeration, as has evidently been done in the Cutting case. Secretary Bayard would have done much better to have applied to President Wade for information about the Cutting case than to have sent such an envoy as Mr. Sedgwick.

THE Boston Post, which is immensely improved under its new management, says that the ninth congressional district might render an important service to the business interests of the country by sending as its representative the Hon. John Lowell, formerly United States circuit judge. Judge Lowell was widely known when upon the bench as one of the ablest magistrates in the country upon questions of mercantile law, and his decisions went far to develop and make up the code of bankruptcy law, which came to be as much a matter of judicial interpretation as of enactment. His authorship of the new bankruptcy act which has been before Congress for some years has given him a wide influence. There is little doubt that his presence in Congress would be powerful in securing the enactment of this measure, and such an achievement alone would justify his selection.

THE friends of Congressman Long, whom the Boston Advertiser rather unfortunately styled "the workers of the party," are making a brilliant campaign, although it is rather suggestive of the tactics of political "workers." Here is the Boston Traveller, for instance, complaining that "the contest for the Senatorship at this unusual time has been precipitated by the attitude of the friends of Mr. Dawes, who assumed that Mr. Long had no right to enter the field against him." This complaint is very funny, in the light of all the facts, and recalls the fable of the wolf who complained that the lamb, who was drinking at a point further down stream than his wolfship, made the water muddy.

THE Republican Caucuses are called for next Wednesday evening, at the usual places. Every voter should make it a point to attend and see that the best men are chosen for delegates to the State, Congressional, Senatorial, and other conventions. The coming campaign is to be a very important one, and it will not do for the better class to stay away from the caucuses, and then find fault with the delegates chosen, or the choice made by the nominating conventions. It is only at the caucuses that politics can be reformed and the right men chosen to represent the party. The Democratic caucuses will meet at Newtonville on Saturday evening.

THE withdrawal of Mr. John Haskell Butler simplifies the contest in this Council district. There are many candidates, but East Boston seems to be clearly entitled to name the nominee. The only time that section of the district was ever represented, was when Hon. Chas. R. McLean was elected. He, as is well known, died after serving but three months of his term. Mr. E. M. McPherson, of East Boston, is mentioned as a candidate, and would make an admirable official. He is a loyal Republican, and his services have always been given in behalf of the party, when work was to be done.

THE Democrats of the Ninth District, says the Boston Herald, would be mighty lucky to have Mr. Edward Burnett of Southboro as their candidate for Congress, and adds that it would raise Ned with Ely. A GRAPHIC correspondent thinks that the district would be more fortunate still if the Democrats and Mugwumps could induce Hon. R. M. Pulsifer to take the nomination. In the language of the Herald's punster, our correspondent thinks he would pull-so far ahead that it would be a regular Mayflower-Galatea race.

THE Anti-Saloon Republican movement is described in the GRAPHIC to-day by Hon. Robert R. Bishop and Prof. Heman Lincoln, two representative Republicans who believe that it is not necessary to go outside of the party to do good work for the temperance cause. We commend their letters to all interested in the best way of working for temperance.

Next Monday will be a great day for Dedham, and the town is to celebrate its 250th anniversary with a procession, a band concert, an oration, and a dinner at which Congressman Ely will preside. In the evening there will be fireworks on an elaborate scale. Mr. Ely is not much of a speaker, and Erastus Worthington delivers the oration.

A LARGE amount of local news and other matter has been crowded out this week, on account of the "boom" in advertising, and it has been the same story for several weeks.

Singing School.

—Mr. J. P. Cobb will open a Singing School on Monday evening, Oct. 4th, at his music room, No. 5, Elliot Block. See card in another column.

The Anti-Saloon Movement.

HON. ROBERT R. BISHOP EXPLAINS ITS PURPOSE.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

I am glad to comply with your request for a statement concerning the Anti-Saloon movement, and the Convention to be held at Chicago. My business engagements absolutely prevent me from attending the convention as a delegate, but I have taken an active interest in the matter so far as this State is concerned.

The Anti-Saloon movement grows out of an honest desire to find a common ground on the temperance question, upon which all members of the Republican party can stand, except the comparatively few, if any, rum-sellers remaining in it. The Republican party, like its opponent the Democratic party, is divided on the question of licence and prohibition, but a very much larger proportion of the Republican party than of the Democratic believes in the suppression of intemperance and the liquor traffic. The prevailing sentiment in the Republican party is strongly on the side of temperance, but it is divided on the question of method. The Anti-Saloon movement is an attempt to strike a blow straight between the eyes of intemperance, by aiming at the chief instrumentality of intemperance, the grogshop. This is an institution from which comes three-quarters of all crime, vice and pauperism. In Massachusetts it has no legal authority for existence in any town or city under the present licence law system; and of course it would have none under prohibition, if our law were changed to that. And yet in defiance of right opinion, or Christian sentiment, and of positive law, it flaunts defiance from multitudes of places in our cities and towns. It is organizing for its own perpetuation and political success. It is a leech of the very worst description. Now, while the question of method between prohibition and licence is waiting to be settled, the Anti-Saloon movement declares absolute war upon this principal means of intemperance, and mother of crime. Moreover, the movement is one among many indications of the arousing and awakening of public sentiment upon the temperance question which is now going on. As a prohibitionist I welcome it; and am not to be deterred from its advocacy by the suggestion that it is a half-way measure. The first step does not prevent the second. Shutting up the rum-shop does not prevent prohibition, but leads to it. Speaking also as one who believes in the power of the Republican party to work out in the problems of the future results equal to those it has achieved in the questions of the past, I welcome it. The real contests are to be between the two great parties. Let those who believe in the Republican party strengthen its hands by keeping it right.

ROBERT R. BISHOP.
Newton, Sept. 13, 1886.

PROF. HEMAN LINCOLN'S VIEWS.

To the Editor of the Graphic:
The quarrels between Luther and Zwingli and Luther and Erasmus paralyzed the Reformation in the sixteenth century, and hindered its triumph in Europe. When great leaders would not work in harmony, and denied each other's honesty and good faith, the common enemy exulted and regained lost territory. The temperance movement has suffered from similar quarrels. Men having a common object in view, differing in their choice of methods, have abused each other without stint, and friendships have been turned to bitter enmities. Prohibitionists have stigmatized high license advocates as traitors and trimmers, and license men have maligning prohibitionists as hotheaded and impracticable. The cause of reform has been wounded and beaten in the house of its friends.

If temperance is to win an ultimate triumph, it must be through a larger wisdom and a more generous charity. Its friends must walk together so far as they are agreed, and co-operate in measures where union is possible.

Half a loaf is surely better than no bread, and an energetic restriction of liquor selling is better than freedom of sale unchecked by law. A movement is now in progress which, though limited in aim and methods, may secure wholesome reforms. The Anti-Saloon movement aims to abolish drinking saloons, and to confirm habits of sobriety by removing temptation. All good citizens are agreed that saloons, with their subtle attractions and adulterated liquors, are an unmixed evil. Even moderate drinkers, who see no harm in a glass of wine at the dinner table, dread the influence of the saloon upon their children, and will combine with radical reformers to close the doors and remove the temptation.

It is certain that a prodigious gain would be made, if saloon-drinking could be abolished by law. The social element leads multitudes away. Good fellowship is the charm that commends the cup. The influence of associates, bent on having jolly times together, is the only temptation that allures many a young man to taste his first glass. Abolish the saloon, and hundreds of weak natures, who cannot resist temptation, would be saved from ruin. They have no wish to drink alone. It is the charm of companionship that weaves the fatal snare. Abolish the saloon, and thousands of young men would never tread the dangerous road. The peril would vanish when the idea of good cheer over a social glass fails to allure.

Experience teaches that if social drinking can be restrained, one great fountain of evil will be dried up. All friends of temperance, therefore, may unite in securing the suppression of saloons. Many sincere reformers doubt the possibility of enforcing a prohibitory law, and have good reason to doubt it, when its chief advocates, Neal Dow, St. John, and Finch, declare that it has never been enforced in Maine, the banner State. But they believe that saloons may be closed by the strong arm of law, and social drinking and treating be abolished to a large extent. If the Republican party can unite on this policy, a great victory will be won for temperance reform. The snake will be scotched, if not killed. The experiment is worth an honest trial.

HEMAN LINCOLN.

Temperance in Politics.

—Mr. A. S. Goodspeed of New York will lecture upon the above subject at Elliot Hall, Newton, Sept. 23, at 7.30 o'clock, and he is an able debater. It is expected that Judge Pitman will preside. The ladies are cordially invited.

MARRIED.

At Newton, Sept. 12, by Rev. J. F. Gilfeather, Margaret Magnion of Newton, to John Cunningham of Salem.

At Newton Highlands, Sept. 9, by Rev. G. C. Phelps, Mrs. Julia Hewlett to James S. Chaffey.

At Newtonville, Sept. 16, by Rev. William Barnet Wright, William W. Burnham and Annie C. Foster. No cards.

In Winthrop, Sept. 8, by Rev. G. C. Cary, Miss Henrietta G. Hall, of San Francisco, Cal., to P. G. Wadsworth of Newton.

In Northboro', Sept. 11, by Rev. J. H. Allen, assisted by Rev. O. W. Eldridge, Kenneth Allen, C. E., of Kansas City, Mo., and Rose W. Switzer, of Philadelphia, Pa.

DIED.

In Newton, Sept. 9, Geo. S. Trowbridge, aged 43. In Auburndale, Sept. 11, Henry Grafton, infant son of Henry J. and Anna E. Keyes, aged 9 mos., 9 days.

In Newton, Sept. 12, Geo. H., infant son of Wellington and Hannah C. Howes.

In West Newton, Sept. 9, David Howland, aged 81 yrs., 2 mos., 15 days.

In Newton Upper Falls, Sept. 12, Julia Lord Bird, widow of the late Samuel J. Bird, of Boston, 74 yrs.

DOG LOST.—A Black Setter. Return him to L. Shinn, Eldridge Street, and receive a reward.

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Republican Caucuses

The Republicans of Newton and all others who intend to support the Republican candidates, are requested to meet

Wednesday Eve. September 22nd,

AT 8 O'clock.

In their respective wards as follows:

Ward 1—Armory (lower) Hall.

" 2—Cycle Hall.

" 3—Police Court Room, City Hall.

" 4—Old School House, Auburndale.

" 5—Hall over Greenwood's Store, Newton Highlands.

" 6—Mason School House Hall.

" 7—Elliot (lower) Hall.

To choose in each Ward, two delegates to the State Convention to be held at

TREMONT TEMPLE, BOSTON,

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 29, 1886,

at 11 o'clock A. M. Also to choose in each Ward, two delegates to the Congressional, Councillor, Senatorial and County Conventions soon to be called.

Per Order Republican Ward and City Committee.

C. BOWDITCH COFFIN,

Chairman.

EDWD. W. BAILEY,

Secretary.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The Democrats of Newton are invited to meet at

CYCLE HALL,

—ON—

Saturday, September 18, '86,

at 8 P. M.,

To choose Delegates to the State, Congressional, Senatorial and County Conventions, and also to choose a Ward and City Committee to serve until January 1, 1888. Per order, City Committee.

J. HARRIS REED, Chairman.

T. B. FITZ, Acting Secretary.

DR. FIELD

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CITY OF NEWTON.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS, 1886.

Notice is hereby given that the Registrars of Voters will hold sessions for the registration of voters and to correct and revise the Ward Lists, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock in the evening upon the following dates and at the places herein named:

At the City Hall on Monday, September 27.

Newton Lower Falls—Boyd Hall, Tuesday, September 28.

Newton—Armory Hall, Wednesday, September 29.

Nonantum Athenaeum—Saturday, October 2.

Newtonville—Cycle Hall, Tuesday, October 5.

Newton Highlands—Richards Hall, Wednesday, October 6.

Auburndale—Auburn Hall, Saturday, October 9.

Newton Upper Falls—Old Prospect Schoolhouse, Tuesday, October 12.

Newton Centre—Mason Schoolhouse, Saturday, October 16.

Also at City Hall from 4 to 6 o'clock on Friday afternoons October 1, 8, 15 and 22, and on Saturday, October 23, from 3 to 5 o'clock and from 7 to 10 o'clock p. m.

No names can be registered after 10 o'clock p. m. October 23.

All persons whose names are not on the Voting List must appear personally before the Registrars of Voters on either of the days above mentioned, presenting a receipted tax bill of 1885 to 1886.

All naturalized citizens must present their final papers when they register, but are not entitled to be registered within thirty days of such naturalization.

If the father of an applicant was naturalized before he (the son) became 21 years of age, the son is naturalized thereby, and must present the father's naturalization papers.

The names of all persons not assessed in 1886 are taken from the voting list; but such persons can be re-registered by applying in person to the Registrars at any session held for registering voters, and presenting a receipted tax bill for 1885, provided they are otherwise qualified.

Every male citizen of 21 years of age and upwards, who has resided in the State one year, and in the City of Newton since May 1st, 1886, and who has paid a State or County tax assessed upon him either in 1885 or 1886, and who shall be able to read and write, shall have the right to vote at the State election to be held November second, eighteen hundred and eighty-six.

GEORGE E. BRIDGES, GEORGE H. BOURNE, RICHARD T. SULLIVAN, ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, Registrars of Voters.

City Hall, Newton, September 8, 1886.

BLACK LOAM FOR SALE,

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NEWTONVILLE.

—Five houses are to be built immediately on Clarendon, Harvard and Cabot streets.

—Mr. A. T. Ring has started on the cellar for a house on Nevada street.

—Miss Susie Dickinson is in Portland, Maine, for a few weeks.

—Mrs. Nelson A. Brown and son returned from their Maine trip Saturday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Leavitt are enjoying a trip to the White Mountains.

—Col. William Rumery and wife have returned from their trip to California.

—Miss Fanny Leavitt will substitute for a while in the Pierce school at West Newton.

—Dr. H. B. Stoddard and family have gone to Nantasket Beach for a short vacation.

—Misses Elsie and Fanny Brainerd have returned from their home in Connecticut to attend the High School.

—Miss Mary Ellis, grand-daughter of Mr. Wm. Claflin, is visiting Miss Mary Byers on Lowell street.

—The brass band is improving so that the harmonious strains of the collective whole begin to be pleasant to listen to.

—Miss Lida Underhill has returned from a pleasant stay at Little Digby, Nova Scotia.

—Michael McDonald of West Newton has the contract for digging three cellars on Clarendon street.

—J. McGurty will soon commence excavating a cellar on the Bailey lot purchased by him, and will put up a fine building.

—Miss Lilla Richardson has returned from Concord, N. H., and will resume her duties as teacher at Lasell.

—Mr. Geo. H. Hastings and family will spend the winter in Boston, having rented a house on Warren avenue.

—Mayor Kimball was a guest of Mayor O'Brien of Boston at the parade of the First Regiment on Monday.

—Mrs. H. P. Dearborn has returned from quaint old Provincetown, and a happy visit to her parents.

—Mr. J. L. Atwood and family are back again from their sojourn in Winthrop, Maine.

—Mr. Adelbert Greenwood and family have returned from their hillside rest in Vermont.

—Miss Clara Erskine Clement Waters is tarrying at B. D. Godfrey's on Otis Hill for a while.

—Miss Maybell P. Davis has returned to the High School, as one of its efficient corps of teachers. Her many friends welcome her back most cordially.

—Miss Kitty Cobb, daughter of Mr. Henry Cobb of the firm of C. D. Cobb Bro., is shortly to be married to Mr. Mills of Boston, and will reside on Austin street.

—Messrs. W. M. Rumery and E. M. Rumery have been appointed as aids to the Chief Marshal, at the Odd Fellows parade in Boston on the 22nd.

—Mr. Wm. McAdams and family have returned from their cottage at Duxbury, where they passed the summer. They will move into their new house October 1st.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pope, Jr., are home again from their outing at Marshfield, where they entertained many Boston friends at their ocean cottage.

—The foundations for a house for Mr. Thomas Stanley are being laid off Washington street, near the Harvard street crossing.

—The High School opened with 475 pupils, which is 50 more than the opponents of a new High School building predicted.

—Ground has been broken on Lowell street for the house to be built for Mr. S. B. Fay, but it is not expected to be finished until next spring.

—Mr. E. W. Hodgdon is making a great improvement in his harness store, by the addition of a new front with large windows, in order to better show off his goods.

—Hon. Wm. Claflin has in contemplation the erection of three or four houses on Walnut street and on a court off from the street.

—Mr. P. C. Bridgman has sold his house on Cabot street, and intends to build another handsome house on Newtonville avenue.

—Miss Emma Chamberlain has returned from the unconventional life of Oronquit, Maine, to the conventional life of Newtonville.

—The people of Newtonville regret the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lindsay have removed to Auburndale. They are getting comfortably settled in their new home.

—The faithful few of the Prohibition party met in one of the rooms in the Dexter Block Wednesday evening, to hear Mr. George Bean's report of the Worcester convention.

—Rev. R. A. White attended the ordination of Rev. Eliot B. Barber, as pastor of the Universalist Church in Waltham, Tuesday evening. He gave the candidate the right hand of fellowship.

—Mr. H. P. Dearborn's new store is rapidly approaching completion, and promises to be a very attractive and convenient place. It is to be handsomely fitted up, and Mr. Dearborn expects to open in a short time with a fine stock of fruit and provisions.

—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carter of Otis Hill celebrated the tenth anniversary of their wedding Tuesday evening. They entertained a few friends informally, but very delightfully, and received numerous gifts of tin ware, carrying with them the usual significance.

—A meeting of the committee for the fair, to be held the first week of December, next, took place in the Ladies' Parlor

of the Universalist church, Monday evening. Nearly all of the committee were present. Plans were made for many attractions, which will be carried into effect next winter.

—At the Claflin School, Mr. Sylvester, master, there has been a large increase in the lower grade, but the 9th class is much smaller than that of last year. The attendance by grades:—Grade 1, 24; 2, 15; 3, 35; 4, 30; 5, 24; 6, 18; 7, 15; 8, 17; 9, 5. Total, 183.

—The Boston and Albany Railroad Company have planked and paved the track at the Walnut street crossing, to make the walk and carriage road over it to correspond with the new boundaries of the enlarged square. The great improvement of the Newtonville square is now completed, much to the safety of public travel, and the convenience of local business. Newtonville smiles.

WEST NEWTON.

—Rev. Mr. Tiffany and family returned from Bar Harbor the first of this week.

—Miss Ellen Bond has returned from the mountains.

—We notice still another house going up on Lenox street, built by Mr. Rolfe.

—Mrs. Charles Carroll has been the guest of Mrs. Grace Oliver, at her Swampscott villa.

—Mrs. and Miss Morton, with Mrs. Going of Boston, are spending a few days in Gloucester.

—Miss Marion E. Sheldon sailed for Europe Thursday, in the Cephalonia, from Boston.

—John A. Gaw, who has been employed at the station here for a number of years, has been appointed station agent in Allston.

—Baggage Master Alexander Bennett, has gone to Lewiston, Me., on a week's vacation.

—Mrs. Dr. C. F. Haynes is enjoying a vacation in Somerset County, Me., and will not return for another fortnight.

—Brittan and Phelps, Real Estate Brokers, Washington street, Boston, last week sold the store of Mr. C. G. Phelps, to Mr. Lewis Rich of Wollaston, Mass.

—Mayor Kimball, Mr. A. S. Glover, and a large number of city officials, attended a meeting of the N. E. water works association at Lawrence on Wednesday.

—The police court record for the past week numbered 10 cases of drunkenness, 2 of larceny, one of cruelty to a horse, 1 for assault and battery, and two for concealing mortgaged property.

—Mr. T. B. Fitz entertained the glee club of the Waltham Young Men's Association Wednesday evening, at his residence on Waltham street, and a very pleasant evening was passed.

—Mr. Francis M. Dutch entertained about fifty of his friends at his cottage on Crain Island, on the banks of the Charles, Thursday evening, the occasion being the anniversary of his birth.

—Mrs. Mead and Mrs. Walton spent an interesting day in Lexington last Monday, visiting the Normal School, in which many years ago the latter was a teacher. She met some of her old pupils; also visited an old house 150 years old.

—The funeral of Mr. David Howland was attended by Rev. Mr. Jaynes, Sunday last. A large number of friends and relatives, to whom his death was a great loss, were present.

—The plumbing store of A. J. Fiske was entered last Saturday night by burglars, and nearly \$40 abstracted from the drawer. They effected an entrance through the side door, turning the key by means of nippers.

—Rev. J. C. Jaynes and Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Burrage have been appointed as delegates to the 12th session of the National Conference of Unitarian and other Christian Churches, to be held at Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 20 and 24.

—A meeting of the officers and committees of the four Societies of Christian Endeavor connected with the North Evangelical, Newton Highlands, Auburndale and West Newton Congregational churches, is to be held in the parlor of the Congregational church, West Newton, Wednesday evening, at 7.45, to consider methods and plans for extending the work and usefulness of this growing organization.

—In the police court, Monday afternoon, Thomas S. Gavin of Framingham was sentenced to the house of correction for three months for assaulting a brakeman on the 10.30 train Sunday night. Michael Dayton and Mary Dayton, his wife, were found guilty of concealing leased property. The former was sentenced to one year in the reformatory at Concord, and the latter to one year in the reformatory at Sherburn.

—Rev. Mr. Patrick gave an interesting discourse to the children Sunday morning, telling them many incidents of his tour abroad, particularly his ascent of the Alps, and drawing practical lessons therefrom. In the evening Miss Sheldon related experiences which in early life interested her in the work of missions, particularly that of the one in Turkey, to which in later years she consecrated herself. Monday evening a reception was tendered her in the church parlors, and returned missionaries now residing in Auburndale were invited to meet her. She left for her field of labors Thursday, with the best wishes and interest of the church.

—The special services at the Congregational Church, Monday evening, were of unusual interest, the occasion being a farewell meeting to Miss Sheldon, preparatory to her departure for Adabazar, Turkey, where she enters upon the work as missionary and teacher. Early in the evening a social gathering was held. The services in the church commencing at 7.15, were attended by a large audience from the different parts of Newton, Boston and Wellesley.

After singing by the choir, Rev. Calvin Cutler offered the invocation, followed by reading of Scriptures by Rev. Mr. Holmes of Newton Centre. The pastor, Rev. H. J. Patrick made an address. Dr. Clark, Sec-

retary of the A. B. C. F. M., gave a very interesting outline of the work about to be entered upon by Miss Sheldon. Rev. E. E. Strong and Mr. Brown, a missionary from Turkey, followed. Rev. P. D. Cowan of Wellesley made the closing prayer, and all joined in singing "Blest be the tie that binds."

AUBURNDALE.

—Rev. W. H. Daniels preached at the Methodist Church in Waltham last Sunday.

—Lasell Seminary has opened with 112 pupils, and a very successful year is anticipated.

—Mr. E. B. Haskell left Tuesday afternoon for a visit to his son at Minneapolis, Minn.

—Dr. Joseph S. Herrick, formerly of Auburndale, was married on Wednesday to the eldest daughter of Col. Fairbanks of St. Johnsbury, Vt.

—We narrowly escaped a frost in the early part of the week. But the Lima beans and Isabella grapes have a further respite.

—A contribution was taken in the Congregational Church on Sunday, for the benefit of the Charleston Sufferers, amounting to \$120.00.

—A hymn of Welcome, written by Mr. J. M. Gordon, was sung at the Friday evening service at the Congregational Chapel.

—Last Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Butler gave the children an interesting account of some sights he had seen during his absence in Europe.

—The Flower Mission continues its good work. 140 bouquets were sent to Boston last week. Any flowers sent to Mr. C. B. Kendall's on Saturday morning, will be carried to the hospital by a committee of ladies.

—Miss Alice Gertrude Crawford, a native of this village, made her debut at the Boston Theatre, Monday night, in "The Minute Men," and received favorable notice from the critics. She is a very ambitious young lady, and a diligent student.

—Mr. Horatio William Parker of Auburndale, Professor of music in the Cathedral School at Garden City, Long Island, was married August 9th, in Munich, Bavaria, to Fraulein Anna Phelps, daughter of Franz Phelps, Bankbeamster in Munich.

—The program of music at the Methodist Church next Sunday includes, "The Lord is my Shepherd," by James Shaw; "Grant us thy peace," by Gounod; Te Deum, by C. R. Fay, and a Motet by Abt., "O Lord most holy."

—The people on Stamford and Pine streets have applied for city water, and their petition was heard by the board of health on Tuesday. There are not enough takers to meet the requirements, but the health of the residents is injured by the foul water in the wells used by them.

—In the Williams School, Mr. J. O. Godfrey, master, the number in grade 1 was so large that it was necessary to employ another teacher and use two rooms for this grade. The roll-call shows the following number of pupils:—Grade 1 (two rooms), 53; 2, 35; 3, 40; 4, 49; 5, 40; 6, 35; 7, 19; 8, 18; 9, 14. Total, 279.

—The Williams School is fairly reopened. The new building is very tasteful, and commodious inside, but we are told that the sixth class is overcrowded, so that there must be a general retrograde movement. Alas, for the scholar who hopes for a double promotion! Scholarship will out nothing where room is wanting.

—The river carnival has been very fully described in the Boston dailies. It was far more brilliant than last year, and a much larger number witnessed the display. But the Boston papers omitted one part of the description, which will be recognized as accurate by any one of the hundreds of people who sat for nearly two hours on shawls or blankets on a hill, so steep that it was necessary to cling closely to something, in order to avoid a downward plunge toward the river.

New West Newton Firm.

Mr. Lewis Rich has bought out the dry goods store of C. G. Phillips, and as he has had eighteen years experience in the business, he will make the store a necessity to all West Newton people. A large amount of new goods, in the dry goods line, and of fine boots and shoes, has been added to the stock, and people will find it to their advantage to call upon Mr. Rich, as he offers special inducements. He believes in letting people know what he keeps, and his advertisement in another column will attract attention. He has a fine assortment of goods, marked at prices to make them sell. Mr. A. H. Coe and Miss Mellen will remain with him for the present, and will be glad to receive their old friends.

Newton Cottage Hospital.

To the Ladies of Newton:—Will the ladies please bear in mind that contributions of preserved fruits and jellies will be very acceptable for use of the patients during the coming winter. They may be taken to the hospital at any time, or may be left with the Directors of the Ladies' Aid Association in the several wards.

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Shapes that rise about and near,
Through the far horizon's line
Stretch a vision free and clear,
Memories feeble to retrace
Yesterday's immediate flow
Find a dear familiar face
In each hour of Long-ago.

Follow von majestic train
Down the slopes of old renown,
Knights in armor without disdain,
Sainted heads without a frown;
Emperors of thought and hand
Congregate, a glorious show,
Met from every age and land
In the plains of Long-ago.

As the heart of childhood brings
Something of eternal joy
From its own unclouded springs,
Such as life can scarce destroy;
So reminding of their prime
Spirits, wandering to and fro,
Rest upon the resting time
In the peace of Long-ago.

Youthful hope's religious fire,
When it burns no longer, leaves
Ashes of impure Desire
On the altars it bereaves;
But the light that fills the Past,
Sheds a still diviner glow,
Ever further it is cast
O'er the scenes of Long-ago.

Many a growth of pain and care,
Cumbering all the present hour,
Yields, when once transplanted there,
Healthy fruit or pleasant flower;
Thoughts that hardly flourish here,
Feelings long have ceased to flow,
Breathe a native atmosphere
In the world of Long-ago.

On that deep retiring shore
Frequent pearls of beauty lie,
Where the passion waves of yore
Fiercely beat and mounted high;
Sorrow that is sorrow still
Lose the bitter taste of woe;
Nothing's altogether ill
In the griefs of Long-ago.

Tombs where lonely love repines,
Ghastly tenements of tears,
Wear the look of happy shrines
Through the golden mist of years;
Death to those who trust in God
Vindicates his hardest blow;
Oh! we would not, if we could,
Wake the sleep of Long-ago.

Though the doom of swift decay
Shocks the soul where life is strong,
Though for frail hearts the day
Lingers sad and over-long,—
Still the weight will find a leaven,
Still the spoiler's hand is slow,
While the Future has its Heaven,
And the Past its Long-ago.

QUEEN NJADVEIG.

AN ICELANDIC TALE OF WITCHCRAFT.

(Translated by J. M. FERGUSON from the Danish for The Springfield Republican.)

It is said that long, long ago a king named Maane reigned over a large kingdom. He and his queen had an only daughter called Njadvig, who even in her early childhood was endowed with many charms. The king ordered a beautiful "lady's bower" to be built for her and her numerous waiting maids. But alas! the queen, Njadvig's mother, was attacked by a fatal illness. After her death the king was so overwhelmed with grief that he could scarcely be induced to leave his bed and took no interest in anything. As matters seemed to his counselors to be very serious, they advised him to seek a wife who would be worthy of him, and the monarch determined to send the two oldest, with a splendid train of attendants, on a courting expedition.

They set sail and went so far out to sea that they neither knew where they were nor which way to steer. At last they sighted land, approached it, and though they knew nothing about the country, went on shore. At first they found a barren wilderness, where they vainly sought any human habitation. At last they heard a melody played very sweetly upon a harp, and thought they had never before listened to any music equal to it, so they followed the sound until they came to a little silk tent, which they hastily entered. In this tent they saw a woman seated in a chair, holding in her hand a harp on which she was playing the air that had lured them hither; by her side stood a young girl. When she saw the men she was so startled that she dropped the harp and almost fainted. After recovering herself she asked where they were going and why they had come. They told her that they had gone out of their course at sea, but were envoys from King Maane, who had lost his wife and now mourned her so deeply. Therefore, since the stranger had made a very pleasant impression upon them, the counselors wished to hear from her own lips her condition in life.

The woman said that she had been the wife of a powerful ruler of that country, but an immense army had invaded the land and killed the king. The commander of this host had intended to reign there himself and make her his wife, but she would not consent, so she had fled with her daughter to this desert where they could be concealed. The counselors thought all this was exactly as it should be, and believing that she would make a good wife for King Maane asked her hand in his name. She did not seem much inclined to consent to their proposal; she had not thought of marrying, she said, but finally yielded to their persuasions. The envoys returned to their ship with her, and now had a fair wind until they reached home. When the vessel was seen from the land, King Maane entered a carriage and drove

down to the shore, and as soon as he beheld his betrothed bride all his grief vanished. On returning to the city he ordered a magnificent wedding banquet to be prepared, which lasted a fortnight. When the feast was over, the king went off to make war and levy taxes.

But our story now returns to the king's daughter Njadvig. One day, while she was sitting in her room, her step-mother came to her and said that she was tired of staying at home in her loneliness, so she was going to take a walk beyond the city, and invited Njadvig to go with her, which the princess did.

The queen told the girl whom she called her daughter to accompany them. All three set off together, and the queen was friendly to her step-daughter. When they had gone a long way from the city she asked Njadvig to change clothes with her own child, and Njadvig let the girl put on her cloak while she herself donned the girl's gown. Then the queen said:—

"This is my will and so it shall be. My daughter shall assume Njadvig's form and features, that every one may suppose her to be Njadvig herself."

The queen and her daughter instantly bound Njadvig hand and foot and left her there, while they themselves returned to the city, where the queen installed her daughter in Njadvig's rooms. Everybody thought it was Njadvig herself, but the waiting-maids said that her disposition had altered strangely during her walk with the queen. They suspected nothing, for they knew nothing about the foreign girl who had come there, and had never troubled themselves about her.

Princess Njadvig remained lying where she had been left until, exhausted by grief and despair, she fell asleep. Then she dreamed that her dead mother came to her, soothed her with pitying words, loosed her bonds, and gave her a cloth which seemed to contain food, telling her that she never must empty it entirely, avoid letting anybody see it, and beware of her step-mother and her daughter. When Njadvig woke everything was just as she had dreamed.

But the queen felt suspicious that Njadvig was still alive, so she secretly sent her daughter to spy out how she was thriving. The daughter found the princess, saw that some change had occurred in her condition, did her best to discover what this change was, and told Njadvig that her mother had treated her very badly in thus deceiving her, but she herself would share her exile. When the king came home their wrongs would be righted, and for the present, they would endure the same fate.

Njadvig did not like the girl's talk but was obliged to let her stay. After some time her visitor lay down and pretended to be drowsy. As soon as Njadvig thought she had fallen asleep, she turned away, took out the cloth, and was preparing to eat; but the queen's daughter had now gained her end, and in a trice she started up, snatched the cloth from Njadvig's hand, and set off homeward, saying that food should never benefit the princess.

Njadvig's plight was now almost as bad as before, and she wandered from place to place until, worn out by fatigue and distress, she fell asleep. She dreamed that her mother came to her a second time and said that she had acted very imprudently, but since it had happened she must now go straight down to the sea; there she would see a tongue of land and a narrow foot-path leading to it. This path she must follow till she came to a little house that was locked, but the key was in the door. Then she must walk three times round the house with the sun's course, and three against it, and each time take hold of the key. The last time the door would open and she might enter, but she would not grow weary there, for the mother added:—

The cuckoo will come,
The flowers will bloom,
The fleece of the ram is smooth and fair.

Njadvig now awoke and followed the direction she had received in the dream. Everything was exactly as she had been told, and one day after another passed in content and happiness. But once, when she had gone out to walk for amusement, she saw a fleet come sailing along the shore and noticed that the ships were entering the harbor. This frightened her so much that she ran back to the little house as fast as her little feet could carry her, but one of her gold shoes became loose and she dropped it on the way.

The fleet was commanded by a prince, who was sailing to the country to ask King Maane's daughter Njadvig to be his wife. As he landed to go to the city he found a woman's shoe made of gold, so exquisitely shaped that he vowed to marry the girl to whom it belonged. He went to the palace and asked for the hand of Princess Njadvig, but added, at the same time, that he had vowed to wed no one except the maiden whose shoe he had found.

The queen wished to see this shoe, and the prince handed it to her. She knew it very well, she said; her daughter Njadvig had lost it one day when she was out walking, as young people are fond of doing. Then she went to her daughter, told her how matters stood, and entered a private room to give her the gold shoe, but the girl could not get her foot half-way in. So the queen cut the toes and heel from her foot and forced the shoe on. The girl complained that her mother treated her cruelly, but the queen replied that people must do something to get a prince. She dressed the girl in her finest clothes, led her into the hall, and showed the suitor that the shoe fitted exactly. He again asked the hand of the Princess Njadvig, and his offer was accepted.

The prince said that he must now go home with her to his kingdom, but would return to invite the king and queen to the wedding banquet. So he sailed away. But, as they passed the Princess Njadvig's house, he heard the birds chattering so loudly that he could not help noticing it; he understood their language and thought they said:—

In the ship sits Huggat Hael,
Her shoe is filled with blood,
But on the land sits Njadvig,
King Maane's daughter good.
For fairer bride,
To stand beside
Turn back, oh prince! turn back!

At first he would not believe this bird gossip, but when he finally examined into

the matter more closely, he found that what they had said of the girl was true. So he took a magic wand and struck her over the shoulders with it, and she instantly became a huge, hideous witch. The prince now forced her to tell everything about herself and her mother, the queen. Then he killed her, salted her down, and ordered her body, which filled twelve barrels, to be carried on board a ship, that had been previously loaded with powder. Finally he had a boat brought alongside his own vessel, rowed to the land, and found the house. By the birds' direction, he succeeded in opening it, and seeing a wonderfully beautiful maiden asked her name.

She replied that she was called Njadvig and was the daughter of King Maane, but was forced to remain concealed on account of her step-mother's wickedness. The prince told her about the new turn of affairs, showed her the gold shoe, put it on her foot himself, and saw that she had the mate to it on the other foot. He now thought that this maiden was his rightful bride, though the truth had been concealed from him, so, with her consent, he took her on board his ship and sailed with the whole fleet to a secluded inlet, where he spent some time.

Finally he ordered all the ships to go to the harbor of the city, and he himself went to the royal palace and invited the king and queen to a bridal banquet. The king was ready to attend it, but his wife was not; she was not used to the sea, she said, and would rather stay at home than take so long a voyage. The prince said that her daughter would be sorely disappointed if she refused the invitation, and he continued to persuade her until she consented.

The whole party drove down to the shore in carriages and went on board the ships, which immediately put to sea. On the voyage the queen became so miserable that she had no thought for any human being. The prince privately asked the cause of her low spirits. She needed a great deal of urging, but finally said that her health was so much affected by the voyage that she felt no inclination to eat when others were at their meals, and it must be because she was sea-sick. She begged the prince to recommend something, but he replied that he knew no food that would benefit her; he had some salt meat on one of the vessels, but it was raw and therefore she could not use it.

The queen replied that she could cook it herself, and her face grew bright again, but she entreated the prince not to mention this trifle. It is said that the queen devoured a barrel of meat every day, and, during her meal, always looked like a hideous witch, but changed again as soon as she had dined. Thus eleven days passed, but, on the twelfth, just as she was in the act of eating the last barrel, the prince called King Maane to see what she was about, and told him how often she had looked so during the voyage.

The king was utterly bewildered when he beheld the hideous monster that held him in her snare. They set fire to the powder on the ship already mentioned. It instantly exploded, and the queen, or rather the witch, came to a sudden end. King Maane begged the prince to tell him the whole horrible story. He did so, and then led him to Njadvig, who related the conduct and deception of the mother and daughter, and the king marveled greatly over these tidings. They now sailed home to the prince's kingdom, where a gay wedding was celebrated. The festival lasted a month, and all that time the wine-cup circled industriously. After the entertainments were over, King Maane set sail for his own kingdom, where he reigned until he reached extreme old age. Nothing more will be said of him in this story.

The prince, after his father's death, became king, and a year elapsed without any event, except the birth of a handsome son. One day Queen Njadvig went down with one of her maids to bathe in the sea, but when she reached the shore she missed her soap, and sent the attendant home for it while she herself remained alone. A woman came up and greeted her courteously. The queen returned the greeting, and the woman then begged her to change clothes with her. Njadvig granted the request. The stranger instantly uttered a magic spell and commanded that she should assume Njadvig's form, while the queen should be taken to her brother.

The rightful queen immediately vanished. No one knew anything about the exchange, but from that time no one liked the queen, which was not strange. So it was rumored that, when the king took Njadvig from her house on the point she seemed to him so fair and charming that he brought her here with her witchcraft, and she had since been in the queen's hall just as in former days when everything was right.

For the cuckoo will come,
The flowers will bloom,
The fleece of the ram is smooth and fair.

But now the words changed thus:—

No cuckoo will come,
No flowers will bloom,
Nor smooth is the fleece of the ram nor fair,
And the child so still in its mother's arm,
In its cradle greets sair,

and everything in the kingdom seemed to go wrong.

One day the king's shepherd happened to go down to the sea-shore, and saw below some steep cliffs a glass chest rise to the surface of the water. In this chest sat a woman, so like Queen Njadvig that he could hardly distinguish one from the other, and around it was fastened an iron chain, held by a hideous giant, who dragged it back again to the bottom of these. The man was much astonished at this sight, and remained standing silently beside a brook. While thus lost in thought, he saw a child dipping water from the stream, and gave it a gold ring. It was delighted with the present, and disappeared in a rock close by. Directly after a dwarf came out of the rock, thanked the man in behalf of his child, and asked what he wished in return.

The shepherd replied that he only wanted to know the meaning of the sight he had just witnessed below the cliffs. The dwarf said it was Queen Njadvig who lived in the glass chest, that she was under the influence of an evil spell, while a witch, the sister of the giant who held the chain,

now occupied her place. The dwarf also said that the giant had yielded to Njadvig's entreaties, and permitted her to come on land four times in the way he had seen. She could be rescued if any one was brave enough at the time to release her from his clutches; but she had already been on shore three times, and the next day would be the last. The shepherd begged the dwarf to tell him how he could deliver the queen from her enchantment, and the dwarf gave him an axe and told him to cut the chain with it when the glass chest came up the next day. He spent the night in the rock with the dwarf, and the next morning went to the cliffs.

After a while the chest appeared, and the shepherd did not stop long to think, but hacked away at the chain and soon cut it. The giant now appeared and attempted to kill the man who had meddled with the chain, but the dwarf rushed up with a little bag and strewn its contents over the troll, blinding him so that he fell over the cliffs and was killed. Queen Njadvig was led into the dwarf's house, where she remained while the others went to the city and struck the false queen with a magic wand. She instantly turned into a hideous witch, and they compelled her to relate her story.

She told them how she had treated Queen Njadvig and where her brother lived. She also said that King Maane's second wife had been her sister and she had done this deed to be revenged on Queen Njadvig. The king was greatly enraged, and ordered the monster to be put to the most terrible death.

The shepherd now asked the monarch how he would reward the man who would free the queen from her enchantment. The king replied that he would give him large sums of money, grant him the title of Jarl, and bestow lands for him to rule. So the shepherd was not long in bringing the queen back to her husband, and the meeting was too joyful to be described. The queen was happy again.

And the cuckoo did come,
The flowers did bloom,
The fleece of the ram was smooth and fair
The baby smiled in its mother's arms,
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Church of the Messiah (Episcopal), Auburn st.; Rev. A. Metcalf, rector. Sunday-school, 9; Holy Communion, 9.45 (except on first Sunday in month when at 12); Morning prayer and sermon, 10.45; evening prayer, 6.

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Baldwin, Henry J	105 12
Clark, Emily J	105 12
Cushing, Mrs Eliza W	223 30
Dexter F. Gordon	208 80
Dickerman, Benjamin	262 88
Newton Mills, Ryte William T	441 20
Nickerson, George A	158 40
Stevens, Mrs Elizabeth W	116 64
Stone, Marshall S	169 56
Safford, James O, and Charles F Colburne	134 64
Tapley, Gilbert A	122 40
Tucker, Wales, heirs	103 68
Whitney, Mrs Louisa	259 20
Williams, John J	267 12
Wynan, Morrill	

Ward 6.

Adams, Mrs Salome S	\$113 76
Bally, Mrs Jenny C	226 08
Baldwin, John A	272 72
Bartholomew, Wm M	269 84
Barton, Mrs Emma D	190 08
Bassett, Elisha	408 08
Bell, Mrs Susan L	162 72
Bishop, Robert H	482 88
Blaisdell, Hiram	229 48
Bowen, Mrs Frances E	144 01
Brackett, Albert	479 00
Brackett, Charles, heirs	558 72
Bray, Mellen	232 40
Bray, Mrs Persis	576 00
Brooks, Mrs Francis	432 00
Burr, Mrs Mary A	139 68
Burroughs, Geo D	128 72
Cady, Mrs Maria H	115 20
Carlton, Geo J, heirs	162 92
Carpenter, Mrs Harriet E	369 60
Chester, Dwight	174 80
Chaffin, Daniel B	161 36
Chaffin, Mrs Susan B	158 40
Chaffin, Wm	136 80
Clark, Chas. P.	329 96
Clark, Mrs Caroline T	384 48
Colburn, Mrs Mary A	108 00
Colby, Gardner, heirs	793 44
Colby, Mrs Mary L	1,569 84
Cole, John S	102 80
Cole, Mrs Anne O	116 64
Cook, Edward	183 44
Cooldge, Mrs Clarissa	162 64

Cooley, Sarah E and Charlotte E	100 80
Cousens, Joseph E	179 48
Cousens, Mrs Beulah F	217 44
Cousens, Horace	1123 76
Crafts, George E	135 92
Crane, Moses G	180 00
Crane, Mrs Emeline H	134 04
Cushman, Mrs Anne E	116 64
Daniels, John H	164 72
Davis, Chas S	1,416 08
Davis, George P	165 01
Davis, George P, trustee for Mrs Amos E	
Lawrence	446 40
Davis, George P, trustee for Nancy Brown	144 00
Dudley, Ezra C	383 60
Dupe, Wm R	141 68
Dupe, Mrs Jenny W	360 00
Edmunds, A Lawrence, exec. of J. Wiley	
Edmunds estate	117 36
Edmunds, Frank	298 64
Edmunds, Mrs Persis D	103 68
Edmunds, Rebecca A, heirs	115 20
Edmunds, A Lawrence	1,211 60
Edmunds, J Wiley, heirs	109 44
Eliot, Mrs Sarah M	194 40
Ellis, Mrs Jenny L	253 44
Ellis, Warren, heirs	239 04
Farnham, David S	474 32
Farnham, Mrs Mary C	168 48
Farrar, Jefferson C	251 12
Fennessy, Edward H	396 56
Fennessy, Mrs Ellen F	173 80
Fewkes, Edwin	125 12
Fitch, Ezra C	203 60
Fitch, Mrs Helen L	446 40
Fitz, Francis	224 56
Fitz, Mrs Fanny E	151 20
Flanders, Mrs Catherine P	116 64
Forbes, Gustavus	118 64
Fowle, Mrs Sarah H	234 72
Fowle, Edwin M	173 12
Francis, Nathaniel L	3,414 24
Furber, Daniel L	144 56
Gammone, James	383 60
Gardner, Robert S	133 04
Gardner, Mrs Ella S	131 04
Garry, Samuel D	346 16
Gilbert, George E	133 04
Goddard, Mrs Mary T	2,991 88
Greene, Mrs Elizabeth O	243 72
Gray, Morris	108 00
Gross, John A D	199 28
Gunderson, Joseph G	167 60
Harbach, William F, administrator	120 08
Harbach, Charlotte P, heirs	108 00
Harbach, Caroline, and Nathan R Harbach,	
heirs	349 92
Harbach, Miss Charlotte F	108 00
Harbach, Miss Sophronia P	108 00
Harwood, Albert L	110 00
Harborth, Joseph C	707 31
Haskell, Mrs Mary F	133 92
Hayward, Albert F	288 56
Hawthorne, Robert	164 00
Holmes, Mrs Mary D	182 68
Hovey, Alvah	210 80
Hovey, Mrs Augustus M	220 40
Huntingdon, Mrs Ella M	129 60
Hyde, James F C	177 92
Hohn, Mrs Jane B	122 40
Ireland, Wm H	395 12
Jackson, Samuel M	204 32
James, Harvey	150 32
Johnson, Mrs Susan M	635 04
Johnson, Francis M, heirs	581 76
Kidder, Daniel T, Jr	143 12
Kingsbury, Isaac, heirs	508 32
Kingsbury, Benjamin W	229 52
Knowles, Daniel H, heirs	122 40
Lamson, Joshua F, heirs	172 80
Lancaster, Charles B	259 20
Lacombe, Mrs Fanny E	123 84
Lee, George C	904 88
Leeson, Joseph R	394 40
Leeson, Mrs Georgia A	239 04
Lincoln, Heman	102 80
Linder, George	464 24
Loring, Stanton D	238 16
Loring, Joshua	365 60
Loring, Hannah W and Mary H	232 56
Loring, Miss Hannah H	223 20
Loring, Miss Mary H	239 60
Lowell, John	1,029 44
Marcy, Willard, and George P Davis, trust's	142 56
Mason, Mrs Sarah W	307 44
Mason, Harry W	708 72
Mason, Edward H	153 20
Mason, Mrs Lelia S	319 68
May, Mrs Helen I	113 04
Moore, Mrs Emma D	122 40
Morse, Alfred	228 08
Morse, Mrs Caroline L	105 12
Morse, Mrs Caroline L, guardian	188 64
Morse, A Frank	171 92
Morton, Wm	565 76
Newton Savings Bank	144 00
Nicholls, J Howard	1,338 18
Nickerson, Mrs Kate M	115 20
Nickerson, Thomas	4,571 12
Noyes, Edward W	189 20
Parker, Joseph W, Jr	117 20
Parker, Miss Belle C	201 60
Patten, Mrs Ellen H	172 80
Porter, Mrs Jane B	122 40
Paul, Henry	413 84
Paul, Luther	441 20
Pierce, Bradford K	190 64
Pope, Mrs Fannie W	230 40
Porter, Earnest	110 00
Prescott, Calvin B	128 00
Prescott, Mrs Lucy E	1,566 72
Rand, Mrs Sarah J	230 40
Ransom, Mrs Celina M	174 24
Rice, Marshall O	390 08
Richardson, Mrs Louisa S C	100 80
Richardson, Mrs Julia A	125 25
Roberts, Mrs Harriet	115 20
Roffe, Albert H	276 32
Ross, Henry	115 20
Saltonstall, Leverett	308 72
Sanborn, John H	1,017 20
Sargeant, Frederick W	144 00
Sawyer, J Herbert	478 64
Sayles, Henry, trustee	906 88
Shannon, Miss Mary	1,527 84
Shaw, Louis A	213 68
Slade, David D	693 92
Smith, Samuel S	290 00
Smith, Mrs Hannah B	162 00
Spaulding, Stillman C	107 12
Speare, Alden	1,701 20
Speare, Mrs Caroline M	326 88
Stearns, John	288 56
Stearns, Oakman S	192 08
Stone, George F	212 24
Stone, Mrs Martha A	169 84
Sylvester, Mrs Mary L	125 28
Sylvester, Mrs Eliza F	155 82
Trumbull, Mrs Eliza A R	296 64
Wales, George E	179 12
Walworth, Mrs Mary F	169 80
Ward, Langdon S	194 96
Ward, Samuel	172 78
Ward, John	479 36
Ward, George K	297 20
Ward, George K, and John	475 20
Ward, T Albert	209 36
Ward, Miss Annie C	100 80
Wardwell, Wm H	228 80
Wardwell, Mrs Henrietta G	295 20
Webster, William E	266 96
Webster, Mrs Mary S	144 60
Weir, Andrew A	102 80
Welch, Elizabeth T, heirs	129 96
Wheelock, Mrs Clara L	105 12
White, Ralph H	532 80
White, Daniel A	295 70
Winsor, Ernest	125 44
Woodman, John, and Joseph Woodman heirs	338 40
Woodward, Mrs Elmore C	132 91
Young, Chas A	161 84

NON-RESIDENTS.

Bacon, James A	230 40
Boston & Albany R R Co	126 72
Brigham, Joseph L and Lincoln S, trustees	
of Maria B Furber estate	420 48
Conwell, Mrs Sarah F	103 68
Carpenter, Cyrus	321 84
Gibson, Lillian L and Charles L	100 80
Hall, Joseph E	131 76
Hale, Samuel C	109 44
Hunter, Wm G	100 80
Jamaica Pond Ice Co	362 88
Lamkin, Guy	150 48
Lawrence, Amos A	931 68
Lee, John R and George C, and S E Pea-	
body, trustees	777 60
Leatherbee, Mrs Florence T	224 64
Lawrence, Rev William	181 44
Lee, Francis L	682 56
Lee, Henry	624 88
Lynch, Mrs Elizabeth J	122 40
Macomber, Mrs Mary E	122 40
Page, Miss Edith	115 20

Shaw, Samuel S, trustee	161 57
Trowbridge, Franklin A, and sisters	102 24
Turpin, Bradford S	102 24
Walworth, Caleb C	198 72
Whitney, Edward	133 92
Waters, Edwin F	162 72

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Hon. Levi C. Wade and family have returned home from Mexico.

—The Watertown Gas Co. are laying their pipes on Gibbs street.

—Repairs are in progress on the roof of the Methodist Church.

—There are thirty-four new students at the Theological Institution, an unusually large number.

—No new cases of typhoid fever at Thompsonville are reported. Those at the Newton Cottage Hospital are doing well.

—The High School barge in its daily trips does not as formerly pass through this village. Our students are expected to be accommodated by the railroad.

—Mr. J. F. C. Hyde has in his garden a very superior variety of sweet corn, being sampled, it proves to be extremely toothsome.

—Mr. James W. Hill's coal and hay scales at the Trowbridge store have been repaired this week, the old timbers have been replaced by new ones, and the scales placed in good working order.

—Services will be resumed on Sunday in the Unitarian Church, which has been greatly improved in appearance both inside and outside, by plans furnished by Rand & Taylor.

—The preliminary meeting of the C. L. S. C. will be held Monday evening, Sept. 20th, at the parlors of the M. E. Church. All who are interested in Chautauqua work are requested to be present and to invite their friends.

—Mr. I. R. Stevens, grocer, Farnham's Block, who lost three horses, trappings, wagons, etc., by the Weir's stable fire, has purchased two strong teams, and has the use of Mr. S. A. Gross's stable, Institute avenue.

—Mr. Henry S. Williams, dealer in dry and fancy goods, Farnham's Block, has met the demand for delivering purchases, by furnishing his own team, a handsome light covered wagon, well lettered, and a good horse. He has a large and well selected stock of goods.

—At the monthly meeting of the Home Mission Circle on Tuesday, at the Baptist chapel, a very valuable and interesting paper on "Alaska" was read by Mrs. S. M. Tourtellotte, giving the salient points, which make the appeal of this country to us for gospel light one by no means to be disregarded.

—A night-blooming cereus was in full flower in the conservatory of J. K. Leeson, Elgin street, Newton Centre, on the evening of September 17th. The pleasing event was made known to friends in the neighborhood, by the welcome reception of the fresh cut flowers during the evening.

—Ground has been broken for Mr. Herbert I. Ordway's house at the head of Gibbs street, Messrs. C. H. and A. F. Ireland, contractors and builders. They will also build for Mr. George K. Ward a dwelling house on a new street to be opened from Ward street, in a southerly direction.

—The announcement that Rev. Dr. Judson would preach on next Sabbath only, at the Baptist Church, was received with great regret by the large audience. Dr. Judson has delivered addresses at the meetings of the Boston Young Men's Christian Association on several evenings this week. He will also preach at Hyde Park on Wednesday, at the evening meeting of the Boston South Association.

—"Newtowne, September 3, 1634. At the court held in Newtowne," it was ordered that no person shall take tobacco publicly, under the penalty of eleven shillings, nor privately in his own house, or in the house of another, before strangers; and that two or more persons shall not take it anywhere under the aforesaid penalty. Thus the new to was town was kept clean.

—Newton when first settled was a suburb of Cambridge, and called "Cambridge Village," afterwards "Newtowne," but for the past two hundred years it has been "Newton." The change was made by Judge Fuller of Newtonville in 1766. He was town clerk for many years, and the present form of the word was adopted by him in the town records. The question was never put to vote, but during the seventy-five years following the old form of spelling disappeared.

—The home of the late Rev. Dr. Jonah G. Warren on Warren street, which has been sold to Mr. Montgomery, is in possession of carpenters who will remodel the interior. The house was built by Dr. Warren about thirty years since; the area of the grounds is about one and three quarters acres, well stocked with fruit trees, and several fine evergreens, fir trees, and other shrubbery. It was the first place laid out on the street, which now bears the name of Warren street, in honor of Dr. Warren, who was one of the remarkable men of his generation. Mrs. Warren has her home with friends in New York. This estate was the property of the son, Mr. Andrew T. Warren, formerly a resident here, but now in business in the Gulf States.

—On Beacon street, corner of Crescent avenue, the foundation work is being put in for Rev. J. M. English's house. The contract for the building has been taken by Boston parties. This locality is one of the

choicest, the soil is dry and well adapted for drainage. The lot, which is ample, is bounded by three streets, with a fringe of fir trees sheltering the eastern exposure. The house will be in keeping with its surroundings. Rev. Mr. English is a native of Ohio, but finished his education in Massachusetts, and she has been able to retain him, and we are glad of this evidence of his intention to remain a citizen of Newton. His first pastorate was at Gloucester, afterwards at Boston Highlands, then he accepted the professorship at the Theological Institution, made vacant by the resignation of Dr. S. L. Caldwell.

—The subscribers to "Village Hall" will meet at the Baptist Church, Saturday evening, 18th inst., at 8 o'clock. The subscription paper is still open, and any one interested in the project is invited to be present and subscribe.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Miss Grace Bryant will attend school at the Bradford Seminary this year.

—Mr. F. E. Prendergast and family have returned from their summer vacation.

—Work on the new depot has been retarded from a scarcity of stone masons.

—Officer Moulton can now be found at his new residence, the Scully house on Boylston street, next the railroad track.

—The new street south of the Eliot Station premises, between the railroad track and Boylston street, will be completed this week.

—The Boston & Albany Rail Road Company, refusing to carry the High School scholars over the Circuit road at a fair price, the barge is again on its route.

—Miss Lydia Webster has accepted a position of Principal of a High School in Wilmington, N. C., and leaves for that place next week.

—By increase of business, Thos. W. Mullen, blacksmith, has been obliged to purchase of A. Blood the adjoining lot to his shop, situated on Centre street, Ward 5.

—The small building (cow barn), near the rail road bridge on Boylston street, has been ordered to be removed; it is not only dangerous, but it is three feet over the street line.

—The Raymond's Excursion party of last week have all returned much pleased with the trip, and they all speak in the highest terms of the management throughout the journey.

—If some of the fruit thieves in this locality could be made an example of, as those of Newtowne were last week, our orchards would be protected; however, vacation is over, and we trust that the first lesson to be taught the boys and girls will be, "Thou Shall Not Steal."

—The travel over Kendrick Bridge, which was washed away last winter, has been resumed, but there is much criticism as to its reconstruction, the crooked ways should have been made straight, and this opportunity ought not to have been neglected. Why not make improvements when the time comes?

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mr. L. P. Everett has returned from an extended trip to Montreal and Quebec.

—Mr. E. M. Billings has gone on a trip to the White Mountains.

—Dr. W. H. Hildreth and wife have returned from their "outing" at Martha's Vineyard.

—Some of the members of Home Lodge, I. O. O. F., are to join in the parade in Boston next week.

—Mrs. J. Leary and daughter have returned from a three weeks sojourn at Ellsworth, Me.

—Letters of administration have been granted on the estate of Miss Charlotte L. Wheeler.

—The schools opened again on Monday with the usual complement of scholars, and the same corps of teachers as last year.

—A collection was taken at the Methodist Church last Sunday, for the Charleston Sufferers, of \$11.22, one man putting in \$5.00.

—A number of families have moved into the place this week from New Jersey, to work in the new silk mills, which are soon to commence operations.

—There seems to be no foundation for the rumor that the paper mills have changed hands, and are to commence the manufacture of paper again.

—A movement is on foot to obtain a village clock, to be placed upon the church at Newton Highlands. Why can't some plan be adopted to secure one for this village?

—Quite a large party from Providence, R. I., friends and former neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Curry, enjoyed the hospitality of the latter on Wednesday of this week.

—A telephone line connecting the different parts of Newton with the City Hall, has been put in for the benefit of the police. One end of the line is located at the house of Officer Purcell.

—Again this week we have to chronicle the death of one of our aged residents, Mrs. Bird. She died after a comparatively short illness, at the residence of her daughter, on Sunday evening last. The funeral occurred on Wednesday, and the remains were taken to Mt. Hope Cemetery for interment.

—At the residence of Mr. John W. Howe, last Saturday evening, there was in bloom a magnificent specimen of Night Blooming Cereus. Many of the neighbors and friends called to see it, and it was greatly admired by all. Mrs. Howe seems to be an expert in the art of raising house plants, her success in this line being remarkable.

—Many of the citizens are making loud complaints in regard to the lawless acts of rowdies on the Needham side of the river. There seems to be an imperative need of

a police officer for that locality. That section contrasts greatly with the Newton side, when Officer Purcell holds sway, and is not only a terror to the evil-doer, but a constant source of pride and satisfaction to all those who desire law and order.

—On Friday of last week, the Billings family, of which Newton and this village in particular, have many representatives, had a reunion at Tremont Temple, Boston. There were members of the family and their descendants present from nearly every part of the country. Caterer Tufts provided the substantial, and the members of the different branches of the family the music, speeches, reminiscences, etc. It was pronounced a grand success by all present.

—On Saturday of last week, Mrs. Abbott of Concord, N. H., a daughter of Amory Hall of this village, met with a serious and horrible accident. In extinguishing an oil stove which she had been using, her clothes took fire, and before the flames could be extinguished she was very severely burned. Since then she has suffered extremely, and at present writing, lies in a critical condition. Her recovery is doubtful, but the fact that she has lived until this time, gives hope that she will ultimately recover. She was born in the Upper Falls, and lived here until her marriage to Mr. Abbott a few years since. Her many friends regret exceedingly her sad misfortune, and numerous are the expressions of sympathy that are heard on every hand, united with the wish that her recovery may not only be sure but speedy.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Mrs. C. M. Sawyer is with friends at Unity, Maine, and will be absent several weeks.

—Our popular barber, Charlie Herbert, has lately taken a helpmeet, and is now housekeeping in the village.

—Three spans of the foot-bridge have been completed, and the carpenter work will probably be finished this week.

—Mrs. Allen Jordan and family have returned from Monument Beach, where they have been spending the summer.

—Mr. John N. Williams has returned from Bennington, Vt., where for the past two months he has been at work for L. D. Sanborn.

—The chemical works of Billings, Clapp & Co. are re-opened, after a cessation of work for two weeks to allow for necessary repairs.

—The Hamilton School opened Monday last. Miss Ekman fills the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Jumper. With that exception the old corps of teachers are present.

—The residents on the Wellesley side have subscribed for a steam whistle, which has been put on the Rice paper mills, to give alarms of fire. One long whistle is for a fire in Wellesley; two short ones for Wellesley Hills, and three for Wellesley Lower Falls.

NONANTUM.

—The attendance at the Adams School, Mr. Spinney, master, is as follows:—Grade 1, 34; 2, 26; 3, 43; 4, 40; 5, 26; 6, 22; 7, 24; 8, 12; 9, 23. Total, 250.

Board of Health Meeting.

At a meeting of the Board of Health on Tuesday afternoon, Mayor Kimball presided and Agent Mosman, Dr. Frisbie, and Messrs. Grant, Edmands, and Otis Pettee were present. The special business was a complaint that Mr. Samuel L. Waters had entered against the celebrated Tuckerfield kennels on Webster Park, kept by Mr. Geo. L. V. Tyler.

Mr. Sherman Hoar of Waltham, counsel for Mr. Tyler, and a large number of witnesses, including many residents in the vicinity, were present, but the complainant failed to appear or to produce any witnesses to sustain his complaint.

Mr. Hoar opened the case for Mr. Tyler, by asking that the complaint be dismissed as no one was present to sustain it, but this was overruled, the complaint read, and Agent Mosman stated that he had visited the place with Constable Lafie, and found it as clean as such a place could be, but he thought the dogs were very noisy and a nuisance. He should not wish them near his house, and he admitted, in answer to a question from Mr. Hoar, that he was not very fond of dogs.

Mr. Hoar then called upon Mr. Tyler, whose appearance created a favorable impression, and he described his premises, the careful way in which the dogs were kept, the cleanliness of the premises, and his surprise that any complaint had been made, especially since he was on very friendly terms with Mr. Blunt, the lessee of Mr. Water's house. After the complaint was made, he asked Mr. Blunt if the dogs disturbed him, and he said that they did not, except during the day when they were left in the wire yard. He had then moved them to the stable, and only left them in the yard for an hour, morning and night for exercise. The kennels were started for the breeding of English Pointers, and at no time did he have more than four or five grown dogs, and ten or a dozen puppies, which were always taken away when two months old. His trade was that of a dial-plater, but it was not prosperous, and he had started the kennel, partly to help make a living, and partly on account of his health. In time he would probably be forced to give up his trade altogether, and then he intended to move into the country and breed dogs on a larger scale. He was astonished to learn from the complaint that he was considered a nuisance by his neighbors, as he had always been on the most friendly terms with them, and none of them had complained. The only time at night that his dogs had made a noise, was on two or three occasions, when a dog thief had been hanging around, and the thief was finally caught.

Several of his nearest neighbors were then called upon by Mr. Hoar, and testified that the dogs had never disturbed them, after which Dr. Crockett, J. Edward Hills,

Mr. Stafford, Mr. Wiswall and others, frequent visitors to the kennels, contradicted the statements made in the complaint. The evidence was all on one side, so that the board laid the complaint on the table, which probably disposes of it.

After considering a number of minor complaints the board adjourned.

NEWTON MASONS.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS OF NEWTON ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER.

At a convocation of Newton Royal Arch Chapter, held on Monday evening, the following officers were installed by Past M. E. H. P., Lewis E. Binney: Geo. G. Davidson, M. E. A. P.; Dr. Wm. O. Hunt, E. K.; Geo. D. Byfield, E. S.; J. B. Lovett, Treas.; Dr. S. F. Chase, Sec.; G. D. Gilman, Chap.; H. A. Thordike, C. H.; Geo. Breeden, P. S.; E. A. Whitney, R. A. C.; R. Q. Barlow, M. 3rd V.; John Beal, S. S.; Geo. Fuller, J. S.; A. Chisholm, T.

RESOLUTIONS ON THE DEATH OF CHAS. S. PHILLIPS.

The following preamble and resolutions on the death of Companion Chas. S. Phillips of Newton Royal Arch Chapter, prepared the committee, Messrs. Albert Nott, Henry A. Thordike, and James D. Fuller, were adopted at the meeting on Monday evening:

Whereas, His mysterious way has called our dear Companion and Brother, "Chas. S. Phillips," to that "undiscovered country" "that bourne from whence no traveller returns," and realizing the great loss the Fraternity have sustained, because of the purity of his Masonic life, and in his private life, one of the most amiable of men, therefore be it

Resolved, that we as "Newton Royal Arch Chapter of Free and Accepted Masons," cherish his memory, because we have found him ever ready to judge others as he would be judged himself; ready to believe others honest and sincere, as he believed himself to be; ready to clothe the actions of his companions with the broad mantle of charity; and was ever looking for a good, rather than a bad motive, for the actions of his brother-men.

Resolved, that we cherish his memory, because he recognized the "Supreme Architect of the Universe" as the embodiment of truth, and evidenced by his daily life that every prevarication, misrepresentation, coloring or concealment, was an offence against Him, and disgraceful to a Mason.

Resolved, that we cherish his memory, because Masonry taught him that truth and light, perfect and glorious, were lingering below the horizon, and would rise to fill "God's Universe" with light and glory at the dawn of its promised day; and with firm faith and hope he accepted the struggling rays that were gilding, as with a master's hand, the shadowy canopy of heaven, as ample evidence that in God's own good time his dawn of day would come, and that it would be eternal.

Resolved, that we recognize in Companion Phillips the perfect type of a true Mason; because his integrity was above reproach; honest and upright in his dealings with all mankind; staunch and true to his personal friends. His last work has been made, but in all these years he has indeed marked well, until now we are brought forcibly to realize that he has passed through the "Royal Arch" into the domain of the blessed, the "Council chamber of the great 'I Am,'" therefore be it further

Resolved, that we tender to the family and relatives of our Companion our heart felt sympathy in this their sudden bereavement, and would point them to our "Heavenly Father" the "Mason's God," as the source of every consolation and comfort.

Even though he has penetrated the sacred vault of Heaven, and solved the greatest of all mysteries, still we deeply mourn his loss, but acknowledge that it is his eternal gain, and with true Masonic sorrow we would say "requiescat in pace."

Resolved, that an engrossed copy of these resolutions be furnished the family of the deceased, and a copy spread on our records.

September Field Day.

The Council of the Newton Natural History Society proposes, partly in response to suggestions made, a Field Day at Concord, Mass., on Saturday the 25th inst.

Leaving Watertown by the Watertown Branch cars, at 9:02 a. m. reach Waltham at 9:14, leave there at 9:33 and reach Concord at 9:58.

Those to whom a later hour would be more desirable can leave Watertown at 10:58, Waltham at 11:35, and reach Concord at 12:01.

A convenient return hour for all will be to leave Concord at 4:23 p. m. and reach Watertown at 5:05 in season to get home without too much crowding of Saturday night's doings. The expense need not exceed the fare from Watertown and back, about 60 cents. For further particulars, apply to Dr. J. F. Frisbie, Prof. Warren, Mr. J. E. Alden, or Jesse Fewkes.

Handbook of Newton.

Moses King, who has recently purchased a residence in this city, has in preparation a "Handbook of Newton," similar in style and character to his "Handbook of Boston Harbor," and "Handbook of Boston," which have been so popular as to require several editions. This new handbook will be at the popular price of \$1.00, and only subscribers will be sure of a copy of the first edition. Copies of his other handbooks can be seen at the office of Charles F. Rand, in the Post Office building, and he will also receive subscriptions for the work, or send orders direct to Moses King, Newton. A large sale of the publication is anticipated, as the main facts of history and the many points of interest in this ancient township will be illustrated, and the accounts will be concise and told in an interesting style, judging from his other works.

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The Newton Horticultural Show.

The Newton Horticultural Society's annual exhibition, of which notice will be found in another column, is one that should attract the attention of every citizen of the city. We hope the usual support will be shown by filling the tables with the fruit, flowers and vegetables which are raised in such profusion in this Garden City of ours.

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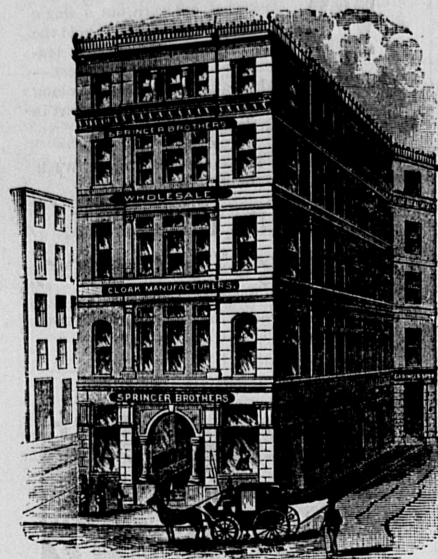
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—Mr. and Mrs. John Warner are spending a week at Ipswich.
—Mr. Charles E. Eddy's father is very ill at his home in Westboro.
—Mr. A. R. Bailey has moved into the house leased by him on Richardson street.
—Mr. Moses King takes possession of his new house on Belmont street this week.
—There is an average of 300 single tickets for Boston sold daily at the Newton depot.
—Demorest's and Harper's patterns now ready at the Newton Bazar.
—Mr. E. S. Hamblen and family returned this week from their summer residence at North Scituate.
—Mr. E. G. Gale of Exeter, N. H., a special student at the Institute of Technology, has returned to Hotel Hunnewell.
—Rev. Fayette Nichols will exchange pulpits with Rev. J. H. Twombly of Watertown next Sunday.
—Judge Pitman is attending the Unitarian conference at Saratoga, N. Y., and Thursday night read a paper on "The Attitude of the Church towards Dram Shops."
—Mr. A. S. Goodspeed's lecture, to have been given Thursday night, on temperance, was postponed to next Wednesday evening, on account of the rain.
—The new L. A. W. Chief Consul for the State, H. W. Hayes, has appointed A. A. Glines league consul for the Newtons, his term to continue until March, 1887.
—Three carriages of members of Waban Lodge took part in the great Odd Fellows parade in Boston. A large proportion of Newton citizens were also there among the spectators.
—Mr. J. A. Manning of Worcester, Mass., and a leather dealer in Boston, has leased the Chase estate on Williams street for a term of years, and will take possession at once.
—There will be a mass temperance convention at South Framingham, September 29, of the temperance associations of Middlesex and Worcester counties, in the interests of no license and constitutional prohibition.
—The Petersilea Academy of Music, Elocution, Languages and Art has become The Massachusetts Academy of Music, Elocution, Languages and Art. The efficient corps of teachers, with the exception of Mr. Petersilea, will remain the same.
—The Newton Cycle Club held their monthly meeting last week with W. W. Stall, 509 Tremont street, Boston, and the supper was served by Tufts. The allowance for suppers was increased from \$5 to \$8 dollars, and a dozen members offered their houses for the monthly meetings of the club during the winter.
—The Girl's Friendly Society of Grace Church will celebrate their anniversary next Wednesday night, on which occasion the sermon will be preached by the Rev. Arthur W. Eaton, rector of St. Andrew's, Chestnut Hill. The service begins in the Chapel at 8 o'clock, and seats are free to all.

—E. P. Burnham was home Saturday and Sunday, and received a warm welcome from his friends. He seems to have recovered from his injuries, and left Monday for Lynn, to go into training for the races there, with an excellent prospect of winning a number of them. Crocker came from Springfield Monday, but did not stop in Newton.

—Tuesday morning, there was an alarm of fire from Box 15, for a slight fire in Mrs. Chick's house, in the block on Washington street. The fire originated in a room in the third story, but the cause remains a mystery. The building was only slightly damaged, but Mrs. Chick and her sister lost a large quantity of wearing apparel, on which there was no insurance.

—Miss Kate Driscoll, a servant in the family of Mr. Charles A. Drew, while trying to raise a window on Monday, pushed her hand through a pane of glass, cutting it very badly and severing the arteries at the wrist. She lost a great deal of blood before Dr. Frisbie, who was summoned, succeeded in tying up the arteries. It was a dangerous wound.

—The amateur photographers are still increasing in number, and many of them do some really creditable work. On the list are Messrs. A. D. Claflin, Sidney Bartlett, F. D. Shaw, Geo. S. Brazier, A. O. Doane, and Masters Crosby and Williams. Among the young ladies who have become quite adept in the art, are Miss Brooks, Miss Tolman, and Miss Bates.

—Prof. S. Primer, of the University of South Carolina, was in town on Wednesday visiting friends. He returns to Charleston next week, as the University opens October 4th. The college buildings were badly shaken up by the earthquake, and some of the smaller ones rendered unsafe, but as the main building stands, Prof. Primer expects that the opening will not be postponed.

—The Nonantum Cycle Club held a meeting on Monday, and admitted three new members, Chas. W. Brown, Lewis R. Speare and Geo. B. W. Flanders, all of Newton Centre. A committee consisting of L. E. G. Green, W. E. Wentworth, J. H. Lewis, Geo. S. Brazier, and A. W. Kilbourn, were appointed to arrange for a series of entertainments during the winter. Geo. F. Williams, A. Sidney Bryant and G. N. Cranitch were appointed a committee to arrange for a reception to the Newton racers, in

about two weeks, when they return from their victories.

—Read the advertisement of the Newton Dye House on the third page.

—Mr. Henry Brooks and family have returned from their cottage at Magnolia.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Sleeper and daughter of Cambridge have taken rooms at Hotel Hunnewell for the winter.

—Mrs. W. O. Trowbridge and family returned this week from their summer residence at Magnolia.

—Mr. Isaac T. Burr, Jr., been has admitted to membership at the Boston Stock Exchange.

—The Misses Shannon have returned from Bar Harbor, where they passed the summer.

—The Sunday School of the Methodist Church will give a Temperance Sunday School Concert next Sunday evening at 7.30. All cordially invited.

—Rev. Horace L. Wheeler of Newton Center will preach at the Channing Church in exchange with Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke, next Sunday morning.

—The Berkeley School of Boston, of which Prof. J. B. Taylor of this city is principal, opened on Monday with a larger number of pupils than ever before.

—Miss Daisy Fillebrown gave a tea to twelve of her little girl friends, on Wednesday, the occasion being her ninth birthday. It was a charmingly enjoyable affair.

—Mr. Edward Thompson's handsome new house on Pearl street is completed, and he expects to take possession next week. It is one of the most attractive residences in the city.

—Mr. S. K. Harwood has been called to Athol by the dangerous illness of his mother. On Monday she was stricken with apoplexy, and it is feared that she will not recover.

—The cool weather is a reminder that furs will be needed for the coming winter, and experienced shoppers say that Jackson's 412 Washington street, Boston, is the best place to buy them.

—Next week the GRAPHIC will contain a letter from a prominent Western gentleman, who visited here during the summer, and wrote up his impressions of us for a Western paper.

—The Boston South Baptist Association held its 38th annual convention at Hyde Park, Wednesday, and a large number of Newton people were present. The next annual meeting will be held in Newton.

—Hal W. Greenwood of St. Louis, the champion hill climber of the West, climbed Corey Hill last Sunday four times without dismounting, on his Star machine. The feat was performed to carry out a bet made at Springfield.

—W. H. Huntley was photographed by Glines with all his bandages, but he is getting along finely and mounted his wheel on Wednesday. He intends to make another effort to beat the 24 hour record next month.

—S. K. MacLeod's horse was frightened by the lowering of the gates at the railroad crossing, Tuesday, and created a good deal of excitement on Nonantum square. Two wagons were badly broken up before he was stopped, but the horse was not injured.

—Miss Clara Goodyear of Boston, was married on the evening of Sept. 22nd, to Mr. Charles Goodyear, Jr., of Newton, in Trinity Church, Boston. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Phillip Brooks, assisted by the Rev. G. H. Shinn of Newton.

—Messrs. A. A. Glines of this city, and W. W. Stall of Boston, have undertaken an important project, that of issuing photographs of all the bicycle celebrities. Mr. Glines is the photographer, and Mr. Stall publisher, and they had about sixty different ones on sale at the Lynn races this week.

—Visitors to the Cottage Hospital will be delighted with the improvements that have been made in the grounds. They are certainly wonderful, when it is considered that they were made by the janitor in the spare time gained from his other duties. Holes have been filled in, the banks along the driveway graded and turfed, and a driveway is being laid out around the building. By another summer the grounds will be a credit to the city.

Auction Sale.

The syndicate property at the corner of Waverley avenue extension and Washington street was sold at auction on Wednesday afternoon. The property was divided in five lots and the double house, and buyers were to pay this year's taxes and agree not to put up houses costing less than \$4,000 on Washington street, and \$3,000 on Waverley avenue. Lot 1, on Washington street, containing 13,212 feet, was sold at 164 cents a foot to James W. French, and the taxes, \$27.00. Lot 2, the corner lot, containing 13,964 feet, brought 19 cents a foot, and the taxes, \$30. Henry F. Ross being the buyer. Lot 3, on Waverley avenue, containing 11,451 feet, was also bid in by Mr. Ross for 12 cents, and the taxes, \$19.00. Lot 4, 11,322 feet, was sold to John A. Gray for 12 cents a foot, and the taxes, \$19. Lot 5, 12,177 feet which has a stream of water running through it, was bought by Mr. Gray for 6 cents a foot, and the taxes, \$19. The double tenement house across the avenue, with about 5,000 feet of land, was bid in by J. W. French for \$2,050. It is to be moved back 20 feet, and to have \$1,500 expended on it.

Death of E. W. Dennison.

The older residents of Newton learned with sorrow on Thursday of the death of Mr. E. W. Dennison, which occurred at his summer residence at Marblehead Neck, on Wednesday night. During his long residence in Newtonville Mr. Dennison had made many devoted friends, who loved him for his unselfish character and warm-hearted nature, and respected him for his honorable and upright business character. His residence on Otis street was always a popular place, and when he removed from the city some sixteen years ago the regret was general. Mr. Dennison was a native of Maine, where he was born in 1819, and he moved to Newton about thirty years ago, and started a paper box factory under the hill, just off from Otis street, and in the rear of Ex-Governor Claflin's property. Here the business grew and prospered, until, a year or two before the Newton public library was built, Mr. Dennison felt the need of better accommodations, and purchased of Capt. Thomas the lot on which the public library now stands. The purchase was not completed, however, as a committee of citizens went to him and said that the lot was most suitable for a public library, and that it was wanted for that purpose. Mr. Dennison, with his accustomed generosity, said that the library would be more of an ornament to Newton than his factory would, and therefore he would surrender his claim to it. He then carried on the business in a building on the site of Cole's block, until about 1870, when he moved it to Boston. Mr. Dennison had meanwhile added the famous shipping tags to his business, which had grown to immense proportions. Shortly after the factory was moved to Boston Mr. Dennison removed to that city, although for many years he proposed returning and building on the corner of Mill and Walnut streets, where he owned a large lot. He leaves two sons, Messrs. H. B. and Charles S., and three daughters, Mrs. Bement, Mrs. Lucas, and Miss Dennison, and his wife survives him.

Shapleigh-Shapleigh.

The wedding of Miss Helen Shapleigh of Germantown, Penn., to Mr. Richard Shapleigh of St. Louis, at Grace Church, on the 22d, was a charming affair. The church was tastefully decorated with flowers and pot plants; an arch spanned the chancel steps, made of ferns and golden rods; and upon the altar were large vases of flowers and trailing vines. At 7 o'clock precisely the organ sounded forth the nuptial music from Lohengrin, and the wedding party entered the church. First came the four ushers, followed by the bride and her brother, Mr. Waldron Shapleigh, who gave her away. They were met under the arch by the groom, where the first part of the service was held, as far as the giving away of the bride, when they passed through to the chancel rail, where they plighted their troth, and the benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Dr. Shinn; after which they slowly passed down the aisle and out, followed by the familiar strains of the Swedish wedding march, the merry clanging of the wedding chimes, and the congratulatory of their friends. The bride wore a gown of white satin, made very simple, en train, and finished by a full ruffling of lace around the bottom. The veil was short in front, falling low on to the train behind, and worn over the face; a spray of orange blossoms fastened to the hair, and a garland of the same blossoms was worn upon the side of the skirt. The ushers, who performed their duties with courtesy and grace, were Mr. Wesley Bigelow of Boston, Mr. Herbert Underwood of Lowell, Dr. John Shapleigh of St. Louis, (brother of the groom), and Mr. Jones of Philadelphia. A goodly number of the immediate friends and relatives tendered their congratulations to the happy couple, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. W. Shapleigh, after the ceremony the bride and groom standing under a beautiful floral arch in a corner of the parlor, surrounded by rare blossoms of plants. All was "merry as a marriage bell," and the friends wish Mr. and Mrs. Shapleigh every joy and happiness in their home in St. Louis, towards which they will soon wend their way.

Farquhar-Peloubet.

Many Newton people were present at the Congregational church at Natick, Wednesday evening, to witness the marriage of Mr. David W. Farquhar of this city to Miss Grace T. Peloubet, daughter of Rev. F. N. Peloubet, D. D. The church was filled to its capacity with friends from this city, Natick and other places, among whom Congressman Ely and wife of Dedham, Gen. Harwood, Samuel Farquhar, Rev. Mr. Titus, Albert S. Glover, J. A. Kendrick, Geo. S. Bullens, Harry Brooks, C. C. Burr, E. W. Gay, Dr. Harrington and many others, most of them being accompanied by ladies of their families. Miss Freeman and the faculty of Wellesley College were also among the invited guests. The bridal party entered the church at 7.30 o'clock, and the marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. F. N. Peloubet, father of the bride, assisted by Rev. F. E. Sturges, pastor of the church. A reception followed at the residence of the bride's parents on Wilson street, the wedding feast being furnished by Paxton of Newton. The newly married couple left Thursday by the steamer Gallia, of the Cunard line for a two months' tour of Europe, and on their return will make their home on Pembroke street in this city.

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THE STREET RAILWAY HEARING.

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At the hearing before the Mayor and board of aldermen on Monday evening upon the location of the street railway company, great interest was manifested, and a large number of citizens from the Centre, Auburndale, Highlands and Newton were present to oppose the granting of both the locations proposed, and also to the road itself, many remonstrants going so far as to say that a street railway was not needed in Newton.

George W. Morse, attorney for the railroad company, appeared for the petitioners, and on motion of Alderman Dearborn he was granted twenty minutes to present the case, the remonstrants an hour to bring forward their sides, and the petitioners an hour to make their closing arguments. Alderman Powers also gave notice that he had a remonstrance to present from many citizens of Wards 1 and 7, who were unable to be present, and therefore asked that the hearing be not closed, but continued to another evening.

Mr. Morse began by denying that the company ever contemplated going ahead without the consent of the board of aldermen, or that they had claimed that their charter made them independent of the board of aldermen. The act provides that we can build over other streets subject to your consent, and that you must grant us this scheme substantially in its entirety, though we would not oppose any changes that might appear desirable, as, for instance, at Newton Centre, until Institution avenue was widened, the company would be content to run up Beacon street, and stop at White's block. The whole affair has been discussed in the papers, and there were four public hearings before the legislature at which remonstrants could appear if they desired. None of those on hand at this meeting appeared there. It comes now with an ill grace for the remonstrants to appear here, after the money has been subscribed and all the preliminary work done. When we went before the legislature, we tested the sentiment of Newton, and a petition was presented in its favor, signed by eight hundred and fifty-six taxpayers of the city, representing from fifteen to twenty millions of property, and coming from all sections of the city. They are not people to come here and speak, but their names on the petition mean the same as though they were here. Newton is the only city in the Commonwealth without a street railway or electric lights, and with its eleven villages a street railway is needed to link them together and make it a united city. Mr. Morse then presented a letter from Rev. Dr. Shinn, endorsing the railroad, and recommending that it be extended to North Village, which the company proposed to do. Mr. Morse then cited the growth of street railroads in foreign cities in the past ten years, and said that old customs had to give way before the march of progress. Street railroads are always opposed at first, as, for instance, in Brookline, but now the people there are all in favor of one. When the Middlesex railroad ran up Temple place all the abutters opposed it and the Attorney-General tried to prevent it, and at that time there was a full discussion of the right of abutters over a public way. It was then demonstrated that abutters had no reserved right over a public way. A street railway is wanted here, and it will pay. Conservative men have placed their capital in it, and that showed they thought it would be profitable. The company does not ask the city to take them, or ask the abutters to be taxed; it only asks the privilege of using the streets. The railway was needed especially for the cemetery, which is a mile or more from any village, and now only carriage people can visit it. With a railway the poorer people could visit it; it would do them as much good and give them as much pleasure as those who could afford a carriage. We have no other public park, and the cemetery would afford a breathing place. The railway is also needed for the high school scholars, for the churches and other reasons.

THE REMONSTRANTS.

Mr. William E. Webster of Newton Centre then opened the case for the remonstrants. He said that he appeared for himself and for many others, who were opposed to having a railway on Institution avenue and Beacon street, east of Walnut, as these streets were narrow, and now great thoroughfares, and a railroad would be a great nuisance; they were also opposed to having a railway, as they considered it unnecessary. He presented a long remonstrance, signed by most of the residents on the streets named, as well as by many others, protesting against the railroad, and he thought there were some taxpayers on the list. (Mr. Morse said that some of the names appeared on his petition for the road, but Mr. Webster retorted that the signers had had time to think the matter over, and had changed their minds. A letter from Collector Saltonstall was read, deprecating the surrender of the beautiful streets of Newton to a street railway company, when no such conveyance was needed. He urged that such an occupation of the streets would be a nuisance, and would depreciate the value of property. Mr. Webster said that there was no opposition at the state house, because it was not understood that a charter was to be granted directly. It was thought that the proper time to remonstrate would be before the board of aldermen. It was unheard of for a legislature to take such important action without hearing testimony. He had heard that some claimed the company would go ahead without the consent of the board of aldermen, and saw it first in the GRAPHIC, which stated that the lawyers disagreed about the powers given to the company by their charter. At the legislative hearing he saw the city solicitor present, and so did not think it necessary to attend another hearing, as the solicitor would look after Newton's interests. The amendment inserted was for the purpose of giving the board of aldermen the control of the matter. The city streets were for the use of all, but a street railway was a preferred traveler, and every one else had to make way for it. A street railway damaged a street, as it rendered it unsafe for driving, and the noise made the street undesirable for dwellings. As for the argument that a street railway was needed for the cemetery, he asked if it was designed to make a public park or great Sunday resort of it. There was force in the argument for the High School, but the Circuit Road was built for that very purpose, and he had no doubt that the Boston & Albany road would reduce the fares and make the road accommodate High School pupils. The whole street railway scheme would be stamped out if the fares on the Circuit road were reduced, and the matter was to be acted on at the next meeting of the board of directors of the road. Newton was justly proud of her beautiful streets, and a great amount of money had been spent upon them, but a street railway would make Newton streets like the road from Newton to Cambridge. Horse railroad men were usually a set of vandals, who cared nothing for private rights, and very little for public ones. Desolation always followed in the wake of a street railway. He protested against introducing horse railroad politics into the city of Newton, and allowing the city to be ruled by a horse railroad oligarchy, and instanced the horse railroads of Boston, and their pernicious influence on Boston politics. A street railway would no doubt be of benefit to some of the vacant land on its route, and this was the object sought by its projectors, who were all honorable men; but he denied their right to benefit their property at the expense of that of other citizens. The remonstrance he presented had only been circulated a short time, and might have been made much larger. The two or three who had declined to sign, said that if it was to go through their street they would sign it. He hoped the board would not

give away the streets to the street railway company.

Councilman Kennedy appeared for the residents of Wards One and Seven, and said he did not oppose the road as a whole, but in part. The branch from Newtonville to Newton was not needed, and would be of no advantage to the people. He concurred with Dr. Shinn in his letter, about the road being needed in North Village, as the class of people there would patronize the road and perhaps needed it. Newton was justly proud of her beautiful streets, and it had a very desirable class of residents, who came here to escape the noise of the city. The streets were many of them so narrow that a street railway would ruin them. He instanced the street railway from Oak Square, down Tremont, Park and Elmwood streets, which had proved such a nuisance, and had never paid, so that the track had been taken up. This company may have either horses, or run their cars by the electric system, their charter gives them a choice. This is the most important measure since the introduction of water into the city, and he hoped that the company would not be given permission to run their road east of Newtonville.

Alderman Fiske presented a remonstrance from residents of Auburndale, against allowing the railroad to run through Auburn street, and asked for another hearing.

Alderman Powers presented a remonstrance from residents on Washington, Park, Tremont, Centre and other streets, protesting against a street railway, and asking for another hearing.

Mr. A. Page of Park street, protested against the street railway, and said that it would be a great damage to Park street, which was very narrow, 25 feet in its widest part, and a track would ruin the street. The old railroad down Elmwood street was a nuisance, and the proposed road would only accommodate those who wished to go to Brighton for intoxicants. The street railway was not needed in Newton, as the Circuit road would accommodate the people.

C. A. Gallacof of Newton Highlands remonstrated against the road, and said if the franchise was granted his house would be for sale.

Rev. A. E. Lawrence of Newton Centre asked for a further hearing, and said that Judge Lowell, Hon. R. R. Bishop and other prominent men would then be able to appear. Newton was a home city, did not have a central business portion, and its greatest attraction was that it was a quiet city. A street railway would change all this. The streets had cost a great deal of money, and a street railway would be very expensive to the city, as it would call for widening of streets, trees would have to be cut down, and the trees would be dangerous for horses and carriages. Putting tracks in the streets would entail heavy taxes on the citizens for widening streets, and in other ways, and he hoped the board would not allow the many to be taxed that a few might make money.

THE PETITIONERS.

Mr. Morse resumed by saying that Judge Lowell and Hon. R. R. Bishop had signed the original petition, and he did not believe they would appear against the road. Two-thirds of the remonstrants in Newton Centre signed, because the road was to run through Institution avenue, but the company would not insist on that. Mr. James F. C. Hyde signed a remonstrance, but when he understood the matter better, he took his name off. (Mr. Webster said that Mr. Hyde told him that he took his name off because he was a trustee of the cemetery, and the other trustees favored the road.)

C. S. Davis of Newton Centre favored the granting of a location. He has been a resident of Newton Centre for 22 years, and had considerable real estate on Beacon street. He believed in a street railroad as a matter of progress, and thought it would increase the value of real estate. The remonstrants, he said, were mostly people who owned horses, and he advanced many arguments in favor of the road.

Henry Ross, superintendent of the Newton cemetery, said that it was difficult for any one not owning a team to get to the cemetery. He thought the road would be a great accommodation to the laboring classes. He had thought of the matter many years, and believed a street railway was needed in Newton, and especially by the poor, who had lots at the cemetery and wished to visit them.

Fisher Ames, chairman of the school committee, stated that better communication was desired between Newton Centre, Newton Highlands and the high school. He thought the road would be of the high school would be benefited by the proposed railroad.

C. P. Harkins stated that the number attending the church of Our Lady was about 400, and two-thirds of that number would use the railroad Sunday days. A. F. Upton, one of the stockholders of the street railroad, said that it was not the intention of the company to use horses, but that the motive power would be electricity, and the overhead wire would be used for a conductor for the electricity. F. A. Dewson presented a long argument in favor of the railroad, and arguments in favor were also made by H. P. Parker and C. C. Shepard, the latter stating that he lived on the Walham & Newton Street Railroad, and it was a great benefit to people living on his street.

Mayor Kimball read a remonstrance from the Boston & Albany railroad, against allowing the street railway to cross its tracks. By the proposed plan it would cross at grade at three different places, which would entail great danger both to the passengers on the street cars and those on the steam cars.

The hearing was then continued to next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Stammering Cured.

Mrs. E. J. E. Thorpe has made some wonderful cures of defects of the voice, and her fame has gone beyond the limits of her home in Newton Centre, as she has had pupils from as far as Chicago, and a number of public speakers have taken lessons from her. A visit to her class room the other day gave the writer a chance to study her methods and to listen to her explanation of the causes that produce stammering, and how to cure it. She is a very accomplished lady, and a teacher who has given years of study to her work. She makes no secret of her methods, which are so simple as to cause astonishment that they have not been tried before, but yet it is to be doubted if any one else would find them so successful. She has pupils ranging all the way from half a dozen years of age to those of mature years, and in every case she has met with remarkable success. She refers to her former pupils, and to Hon. John D. Long, E. H. Haskell, John W. Dickinson, and a large number of prominent people who have investigated or tested her work.

Seaside Architecture.

Stranger (at a watering place resort)—What is that enormous building across the way?

Guide—That's a hotel.

Stranger—And that large handsome brick structure?

Guide—That's the club house, sir.

Stranger—I see. Well, what's that long, odd-looking building behind the enclosure?

Guide—The grand stand at the race course.

Stranger—Oh, yes. It's all very beautiful, but I should think the authorities would remove that unsightly little frame building adjoining the hotel away from the main thoroughfare. It mars the general effect. What is it? Some sort of a hen house?

Guide—No, sir. That's a church.—[N. Y. Sun.

The Dog Case Again.

The Board of Health held another hearing Tuesday afternoon on the Webster Park dog case. Mayor Kimball presided, and Agent Mosman, Dr. Frisbie, Messrs. Grant, Edmonds, Fuller and Pettie were present. Samuel N. Waters, who made the complaint against George L. V. Tyler and the Tuckerfield kennels, was present with his counsel, E. H. Pierce of Newtonville, and Mr. Tyler and his counsel, Sherman Hoar of Watertown, were also on hand. Mr. Waters asked that the hearing be re-opened, as he had not understood that there was to be a hearing last week, not having been formally notified. Mr. Hoar was of the opinion that Mr. Waters had been notified in the same way as his client, and thought it was very unfair for the defence that it should have been compelled to present all of its testimony, and then allow Mr. Waters and his counsel a week to think it over before introducing their side. Nevertheless he would not oppose the re-opening of the case. The board voted to take up the case, and Mr. Pierce called up Mr. Waters, Chas. E. Sweetland, Dr. Thayer, H. P. Barber, Geo. H. Haynes and Ira D. Gates, who testified in support of the complaint, chiefly as to the dogs disturbing invalids, and at times preventing sleep in the neighborhood. Mr. Hoar presented letters from Franklin and Fred A. Metcalf, Mrs. M. F. Colligan, Mrs. Samuel Harding and Clarence Davis, stating that the dogs never disturbed them, and from Mr. Blunt, who leases Mr. Waters' house, stating that the dogs had not disturbed him nights and very little days, since the complaint. Mr. W. B. Colligan was called by Mr. Hoar, and testified that his dog, complained of by one of the witnesses as being a greater nuisance than the whole kennel, never was left out of the house at night, and never barked at night unless some one came into the yard. Mr. Colligan was subjected to pretty sharp cross questioning by Mr. Pierce, who failed to make anything out of it. The counsel for both sides then gave the board some learned advice as to what constituted a nuisance, and the hearing was closed. The board will give their decision next week.

Several complaints in regard to the collection of swill were received and referred to Agent Mosman. A complaint was received from Mrs. E. L. Collins, against the glue factory on the Needham side of the Charles River, opposite her land, which was asserted to be a nuisance and detrimental to health. It was referred to the clerk, to communicate with the Needham authorities. The board then adjourned for one week.

Prizes for Newton People.

At the annual exhibition of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, a large number of prizes were taken by Newton people. The exhibition was the best yet held, and the display of flowers and foliage plants was especially attractive. Mrs. M. T. Goddard received numerous premiums, among which were a second prize for carrots, a third for parsnips, first for Swedish turnips, third for drumhead cabbages, first for red, and third for Savoy, and first for field corn. C. N. Brackett also received a large number, among them a first on turnips, third on red cabbage, second on lima beans, first on sweet corn, third on best three varieties of tomatoes, a first on the Paragon, second on the Cardinal, first on peppers, and on apples a second on Danvers' Sweet, second on Hubbardston and a third on Rhode Island greening. C. B. Lancaster received third on flat turnips, first on drumhead cabbages, second on red, and same on Savoy. E. W. Wood of West Newton received a number on apples, a second on the mother variety, and second on Rhode Island greening.

In the awards published Thursday, C. N. Brackett received a fourth prize on Bosc pears, second on Souvenir de Congress, a second on Massasoit grapes, a gratuity for pears and apples, second prize for four varieties of potatoes, first on watermelons and a gratuity for red sweet corn. E. W. Wood received a second prize on Howell pears, third for Superfin, second on collection of foreign grapes, second on Black Hamburg grapes, and second on Wilmo's Hamburg. George S. Harwood received first prize for Boussock pears, second for Comice, third for Seckel, and first for Sheldon. Mrs. M. T. Goddard received a gratuity for pears and apples, a second prize for Clark potatoes, first for Rose, first for Savoy, first for King, third for Canada squashes, and second for Turban. W. C. Strong received the Hunnewell premiums for evergreens, best display in pots other than native.

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CORRESPONDENCE COLUMN.

The Hyde School House.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

As your columns are always ready for criticism on any subject, please allow us to open fire upon the management of the Committee who may be or have been in the City Government, and our aim will be at the Hyde School House. While we see considerable expense laid out upon the public buildings and grounds in all the other wards of the city, there seems to be a meanness displayed by the City Council or its committees towards this ward (Five); it has always been the case, and it is quite time that some change was manifested. When is the proper time to make repairs, or to do any work in or about the school houses; putting the winter's fuel in, etc., if it is not during vacation time? But to save a few dollars on the contract, time was lost, and now work is to be done in school hours or on Saturdays, making four fold work to the janitor. The building in itself is a disgrace to the city, when a few dollars laid out upon it would relieve the barn-like appearance, where the grounds and walks about the same are in keeping with the structure. Even the necessary addition made last year did not add to the architectural appearance. We think the suggestion made in your last week's issue, to make the City Motto "Procrastination," was a point well taken, for this school house matter is not the only case where the citizens' interest, as were that of the city, have been neglected for want of something on the part of committees.

CITIZENS AND TAXPAYERS.

Newton Highlands, Sept. 15th, 1886.

Since the above was received, we understand that the school was dismissed yesterday on account of the cold air from the opening, made by the work; a fire being made to keep warm previously.

Hon. R. M. Pulsifer for Congress.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

In company with many voters in this city, I have been much interested in your opposition to the renomination of Congressman Ely, who has made such a very small figure in Congress. His friends say that he has been influential in committee work, which is the usual "chestnut" advanced in behalf of inefficient Congressmen. What the Ninth District needs is a man who can represent it with credit, and who, when called upon to make a speech, will not make his friends feel like apologizing for him, as was the case when Mr. Ely spoke in Newton, in the last campaign. If he is to be renominated, his friends ought to see that he takes a foreign trip until after the election.

If the Republican party feels compelled to put up Mr. Ely for a second term, because it has not independence enough to break over a pernicious custom, it is to be hoped that a man will be put up on the other side, whom the large class of Independent voters in Newton can support. Such a man would be Hon. Royal M. Pulsifer of this city, editor of the Boston Herald, whose ability to fill a public office was shown during the time he held the office of Mayor of Newton, and who is a graceful and ready speaker, and a man who would represent the district with credit. A man who has made the Boston Herald what it is would surely be capable of filling the duties of a Congressman, and of having an important influence on national legislation. Mr. Pulsifer would poll the full Democratic vote of the district, and also have the support of the civil service reformers, and all but the most bigoted Republicans.

By printing this letter you will please a large number of the voters of Newton, and of many other towns in the District.

REPUBLICAN.

Newton, Sept. 14, 1886.

"Ouida" on Woman Suffrage.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

In answer to the several requests desiring a reply to "Ouida's" article on "Woman Suffrage," published in the September number of the North American Review, I will say that I have neither the time or inclination to do so at any length.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, the able champion of right, will reply in full to "Ouida" in the October number of the North American Review, and all parties interested will have the opportunity to read an able defence.

For my own part, I have always been so engrossed in my studies and professional duties that I have had but little time to look into the "suffrage" question—the current of my thought not having set in that direction; however, my sympathy is with the cause, and if I have had doubts upon certain points, they have been waived in favor of the suffragists since reading the revolting article written by "Ouida"—an article which is an outrage upon decency, and a discredit to the journal which published it. I have but one feeling for "Ouida," and that is pity, for it is a self-evident fact that her associations have been unfortunate. George Eliot says, in Daniel Deronda, that "men and women take color from those who come nearest them." When we look through a yellow glass everybody looks yellow, and looking through blue glass everybody looks blue. So it often occurs that our immediate associates serve as a media between ourselves and the world in general. "Ouida" thinks all women are depraved and all men are bad. The homely old adage that "we judge others by ourselves" is not far out of the way. Men and women are, and always will be, dependent upon each other, and I see no reason why either party should become demoralized, or even estranged, because of independent thought or action in any public matter.

MARY E. BATES, M. D.

Newton Centre, Sept. 16, 1886.

—The Boston Herald says: Dr. Kendall has made a very funny picture of a group of the Boston Bicycle Club, taken at Allen's bath, Newton. S. N. Turner, "Sammy Swing," Capt. Tombs, the doctor and his favorite terrier "Bess," E. G. Whitney, Charlie Howard, Theodore Rothe, T. N. Wakefield and T. A. Lambert form the party. It is hard to say who looked the best, but all were true to nature.

—The Sunday Times says: Mr. W. K. Wood of West Newton made a very fine floral display at the Horticultural exhibition Saturday afternoon. He gives much attention to the raising of rare plants, and the weekly displays which he makes are decidedly interesting to those who care for flowers.

OUR MASTODON.

THE DETROIT TRIBUNE MAKES SPORT OF IT.

The following from the Detroit Sunday Tribune of August 8th indicates a desire to detract from the hard-won laurels of our favorite scientific society and its energetic management. Was it for this the tireless medicine man risked the chills in big holes in Northboro?

"While delving into some rocky soil in New England recently, a party of persons who are pleased to call themselves scientific came across the remains of a mastodon, that had doubtless floundered into a mud-hole and miserably perished. Near the bones of the mammoth, however, lay the skull of a human being in a fair state of preservation. Mastodon remains are comparatively plenty in this country, and it is a peculiarly unfortunate scientist who has not sometime or other in his career dragged the mouldy bones of the prehistoric beast from their hiding place in the earth; but we believe this is the first authentic instance where the bones of a human being were found in close association with those of *mastodon giganteus*. Therefore, these scientific persons of New England were very naturally much agitated by their remarkable find, and the wide range of discussion and conjecture that the discovery opened up was quickly appreciated. The first question presented was of course whether the skull was that of a man or woman, and on this point the scientists divided into two factions. The faction which maintained that the skull belonged to the female sex pointed to the powerful jawbone as irrefutable evidence in support of their claims, while the faction which insisted that a man once habitually carried the skull around with him pinned their faith, so to speak, to the pronounced bumps of combativeness behind the orifices of the ears, the bulging protuberances of the forehead, and other minor points. Although the sex of the skull would appear to be a less vital point than some other question that might have been profitably discussed, these scientists have not, so far as we know, got beyond this point, and are still wasting much ink and air in the effort to settle it.

The antiquity of man has always been a theme of tireless discussion. Long-haired scientists have worried themselves into insane asylums over it, and anthropologists have wrangled with each other until the patrol wagon has been called and the police have dragged them apart. Liars innumerable have excited the interest and subsequent indignation of scientific persons by alleged discoveries of human remains under infinite ages of rocks or peat. One stalwart liar with a trained imagination long ago persuaded simple-minded historians that he had found mastodon bones buried in a Missouri swamp along with the remains of human hunters armed with spears. Only a few days ago an able-bodied Indiana prevaricator endeavored to convince the country that he had unearthed a petrified prehistoric debating society, the presiding officer of which preserved order during the heat of debate by means of a shinbone of a mastodon used as a gavel. But discarding all the known liars and their really clever productions, it is very certain that uncivilized man whiled away his idle hours by playing with the hairy elephant. Not only have human relics been found of the age reaching back to that of the mammoths, but unmistakable drawings of the mastodon have been found, the work of an ancient people. And among the curious earthworks of the mysterious mound-builders one has been found that is clearly intended to represent the form of the hairy elephant.

But nothing in the New England states or east of the Detroit river has been found to indicate that man and the mastodon ever dwelt together in anything like peace and unity. This new-found human skull is a peculiar one, though not a typical one. The well-informed geologists who have examined the surroundings announce that the age of the bones is not less than 15,000 years.

It is a curious and instructive and always interesting study—that of the antiquity of man—because it allows every student to give full rein to his fancy and build up theories and form analogies, that are just as tenable and probably as correct as those of his brother researcher in the same field. Yet, after all, man as he existed in his early state was hardly of a higher development than the modern dodo or the gum chewer of to-day. Intelligent human beings who have had all the advantages of evolution would hesitate to recognize him as belonging to the same species. With the protruding eyebrows and retreating frontal bone of the gorilla, with the teeth inclined forward and the top of the head flat, with powerful jaws capable of chewing gum by the hour without tiring, eating his meat entirely raw, with hardly as much clothing as a modern ball-room belle, living in damp caves or the branches of trees, and with the man as the controlling power in the family, the modern individual of the species would hardly acknowledge the ancient representative of the race as a distant relation. And yet in the unnumbered cycles of time that are to elapse before this globe becomes a cold and lonely wanderer through space, some higher man may inadvertently pick up the skull of a nineteenth century person that has successfully resisted the atomizing process of natural laws, along with the remains of the extinct horse or bicycle, and muse and speculate on the barbarism of this dark age. And this future man will be a hairless person with top-heavy cranial formation, without muscular development, an evolved intelligence with only so much of body as is sufficient to retain his physical equilibrium, and keep him subject to the unchangeable laws of gravity."

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At the City Hall on Monday, September 27.

Newton Lower Falls—Boydell Hall, Tuesday, September 28.

Newton—Armory Hall, Wednesday, September 29.

Nonantum Athenaeum—Saturday, October 2.

Newtonville—Cycle Hall, Tuesday, October 5.

Newton Highlands—Richards Hall, Wednesday, October 6.

Auburndale—Auburn Hall, Saturday, October 9.

Newton Upper Falls—Old Prospect Schoolhouse, Tuesday, October 12.

Newton Centre—Hason Schoolhouse, Saturday, October 16.

Also at City Hall from 4 to 6 o'clock on Friday afternoons October 1, 3, 15 and 22, and on Saturday, October 23, from 3 to 5 o'clock and from 7 to 10 o'clock p. m.

No names can be registered after 10 o'clock p. m. October 23.

All persons whose names are not on the Voting List must appear personally before the Registrars of Voters on either of the days above mentioned, presenting a receipted tax bill of 1885.

All naturalized citizens must present their final papers when they register, but are not entitled to be registered within thirty days of such naturalization.

If the father of an applicant was naturalized before he (the son) became 21 years of age, the son is naturalized thereby, and must present the father's naturalization papers.

The names of all persons not assessed in 1886 are taken from the voting lists, but such persons can be re-registered by applying in person to the Registrars at any session held for registering voters, and presenting a receipted tax bill for 1885, provided they are otherwise qualified.

Every male citizen of 21 years of age and upwards, who has resided in the State one year, and in the City of Newton since May 1st, 1886, and who has paid a State or County tax assessed upon him either in 1885 or 1886, and who shall be able to read and write, shall have the right to vote at the State election to be held November second, eighteen hundred and eighty-six.

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THE MILITARY DRILL.

From the time the drill was introduced into our High School to the present, some of our citizens have not been quite satisfied with it. Some have opposed it upon the ground that it was unwise to encourage a fondness for military matters, and others because they thought it injurious to health or detrimental to study. Of late the propriety of the drill, and numerous questions connected with it, have come up for consideration. The testimony of many who have given it attention seems to be that it provides an attractive means of exercise, and secures certain tangible results in physical improvement of the boys, and that therefore it should be continued. At the same time it is urged that very careful discrimination should be used so that very weak and undeveloped boys may be exempt, and that the older scholars who are making special preparations for College should have the option whether they take the drill or not. With these limitations, and with due regard to the statutes of the State, which gives any parent the right to remove a pupil for conscientious reasons, there is no reason why the drill should not retain the favor of our people generally.

WEDNESDAY night's caucuses resulted very satisfactory, in spite of the very slim attendance at most of them. The men chosen are representative Newton men, and from their general high character and standing may be expected to exert a good influence at the various conventions. Mr. E. W. Wood will without doubt have a solid Newton delegation to support him at the senatorial convention, and he will probably have a majority on the first ballot, as he is said to be already sure of 23 votes. At the county convention, Mr. E. W. Cate will have the solid support of Newton, and delegates friendly to him and opposed to the present incumbent of the office of district attorney, have been elected in Cambridge, Woburn, Lowell, and a number of other towns, so that his nomination is looked upon as reasonably certain.

THE WALTHAM TRIBUNE endorses the GRAPHIC's mention of Hon. Levi C. Wade for Congressman from this district, and says that "the ninth district does not contain an abler man. He is brains, ability and push, from the top of his head to the soles of his feet, and as square and above board in his principles as any public man in the state. Mr. Levi C. Wade would be heard and felt in the council hall of the nation. Let us have ability rather than mediocrity where it can be had just as well as not." The friends of the second term custom will find it difficult to get around the Tribune's statements.

The street railway question promises to be even more exciting than politics for the next few weeks. The list of remonstrants is growing daily, and now it is said that all the cyclists of the city will hand in their protest next Monday, as a street railway would render the Newton roads unsafe for wheelmen. Some of the remonstrants are poking fun at the street railway men for their uncommon anxiety to get people into the Newton cemetery, on the ground that that is a curious way to build up a city.

THE Boston Record thinks that if the Democrats could induce Hon. R. M. Pulsifer to accept the nomination for Congress, it would be interesting to observe whether the Globe would support him, especially as it would mean an endorsement of the President. We have no doubt the Globe would be only too glad to help to send Mr. Pulsifer to Washington.

JUDGE JOHN C. PARK has written for the GRAPHIC this week a thoughtful article that should be read by all interested in the future men and women of the state. It discusses the question whether there is a decay of moral tone in the young, the causes which led to it, and the remedies which should be applied.

MRS. DR. M. E. BATES has consented to give the readers of the GRAPHIC a brief criticism of "Ouida's" article on Woman Suffrage, which has caused such a stir not only among the friends of the movement, but among all intelligent women.

"SEGEWORTH" is now doing the Saguway, and will probably be heard from again next week. Her letters have proved of so much interest that readers of the GRAPHIC will regret that her tour is nearly finished.

THERE will be a hearing on the petition of the Newton Electric Light Company next Monday evening, at 7 o'clock, before the board of Aldermen.

THE HIGH SCHOOL.

STAFF OF TEACHERS.

Mrs. Bowler, the former teacher of drawing and writing, will instruct scholars in these branches during the school year of 1886-'87, as Miss Pond is studying in Europe. Capt. Brown has been elected instructor of Military Drill. Miss Ranlett, on account of ill health, was not able to resume her position until Monday, September 20.

TEXT BOOKS.

The adoption of a new course of study has brought about a few changes in the Text Books used in the school. In the fourth class, Wentworth's Shorter Course in Algebra has been substituted for Elements of Algebra, by the same author; Hill's Geometry for Beginners will also be used in the fourth. The German classes will use Whitney's Shorter German Grammar. The classes in Physics will use Gage's Physics, in addition to the former text-book, Avery's Elements of Natural Philosophy. In this connection it may be interesting to state that in the third class an option being given between Natural Philosophy and Physical Geography, only three chose the latter. As there were not enough to make a division, all the class will study Physics.

Among the school societies

THE LYCEUM.

A meeting was held Tuesday, September 21, at recess, at which the following officers were elected: President, Eugene A. Crockett, '87; Vice President, Harry M. Chase, '87; Clerk, George A. Holmes, '87.

TENNIS CLUB.

The first society to organize this year was the N. H. S. Lawn Tennis Club, which held a meeting on Thursday, September 16, and elected the following officers for the coming year of 1886-'87: President, George A. Holmes, '87; Vice President, Charles E. Whitmore, '88; Secretary, Harry Gay, '87; Treasurer, Arthur Howard, '88; Directors, Herbert S. Potter, '87; Frank E. Soule, '88; Arthur E. Fowler, '89-'90.

OFFICIAL STATISTICS.

Number of Scholars.—1st class, 24 boys, 43 girls, total 67; 2d class, 50 boys, 60 girls, total 110; 3d class, 67 boys, 61 girls, total 128; total in three upper classes, 305; 4th class, 83 boys, 69 girls; total 152. Totals, 224 boys, 233 girls. Grand total, 457.

Seating Capacity.—1st class room, 156 seats; 2d class room, 74 seats; 3d class room, 70 seats; total number of seats for three upper classes, 300. Room 3, 32 seats; room 4, 60 seats; room 5, 63 seats. Total number of seats, 455. From the above it will be seen that there are five more scholars than seats in the three upper classes, and two more scholars than seats in the whole school.

Residences.—Nonantum, 5; Newton, 97; Newtonville, 74; West Newton, 81; Auburndale, 44; Riverside, 1; Lower Falls, 7; Upper Falls, 25; Highlands, 28; Centre, 85; Chestnut Hill, 2; Natick, 6; Wellesley Hills, 1; Waltham, 1. Total, 457.

Last Sunday's Liquor Raid.

The most extensive liquor raid in this city for a long time was made Sunday, about noon, by City Marshal Hammond and his officers. Five places were visited at Nonantum and one at Newton Centre. At the house of J. W. Corning, on Walnut street, Newton Centre, the largest quantity of liquor was seized, the officers finding two half-barrels of lager beer and considerable ale. The premises visited in Nonantum were those of William Manning, Thomas Mullen and Edward Hartnett. At the former place five cases of lager beer, one gallon of whiskey, one pint of rum and five bottles of ale were seized. All the places visited were private houses, and in several of them a number of persons were found drinking when the officers went in. J. W. Corning was before the police court a few days ago for violation of the liquor law and fined \$200 and costs. The above-mentioned parties were brought before the court on Thursday afternoon, and William Manning was fined \$100 and costs, and sentenced to 3 months in the house of correction; Mullen was discharged for lack of evidence, Hartnett's case was continued until next Monday, and Corning's until Saturday. Manning appeals.

Mr. Cobb's Singing Class.

One of the best musical organizations ever sustained in this city is Mr. J. P. Cobb's Vocal Club. It was the outgrowth of a singing school taught by Mr. Cobb a few winters ago, and proved what could be accomplished in reading music by those determined to learn.

At the close of last season's rehearsals the club voted to discontinue their rehearsals for a season and comply with Mr. Cobb's desire, to sustain him in holding a singing school this fall and the coming winter. The need of a class for learning to read music is sorely felt in our midst, and it is hoped there are many who will embrace the opportunity to learn to read music. Those who cannot read music should go and learn. Those who can read quite well should go and learn to read better. Those who can read first rate now should go and encourage the good work by their presence and their voices, and brighten up their musical ideas a little. For terms, date of commencing, &c., see advertisement in another column.

Real Estate Conveyances.

The following real estate conveyances are recorded:

Webster Chas M. et ux—B. C. King	\$6,000
Atwood Lewis L. et al—J. J. Divinye	1
Brown Edna T. et al—J. Boardman	1
Hammond Benj.—H. B. Read	1
Read Henry H.—B. Hammond	1
Daniels Josiah E. et al—A. A. Eggleston	5
Hammill Geo. H.—D. Sauer	65
Ross Henry F.—W. H. Capen	1
Brigham Robt. C.—M. F. Harshorn	1
Haskell Saml. C.—C. Everett	1
Ed Geo. H.—G. D. Knapp	3,100
Ross Lyman A.—W. F. Johnson	6,000
Haskell Edwin B.—I. M. Guiney	1
Merrill Edwin C.—A. A. Davis	165
Freeman Franklin W.—J. H. Flint	1
Flint Jas. H.—H. A. Freeman	1
Jewett Wm. B. et ux—J. F. C. Hyde	1
Clark Mary E.—M. L. Sanger	3,800
Grieg Jos. W. et ux—F. S. Rollins	1
Blood Almon—F. W. Mullen	4,500
Warren Andrew F. et al—A. Montgomery	7,000

Newton Horticultural Society.

The Thirty-second Annual Exhibition was held at City Hall, Tuesday and Wednesday, closing with a festival on Thursday evening. The exhibit was good, although in some respects not equal to those of former years. The display of grapes was small, there being no entries of foreign grapes. The grape cultivators report a poor year. Although the pear crop is large the quality is inferior. The exhibition of vegetables, while not as extensive as some years, is of an excellent quality.

The hall presented a pleasing picture. The brilliant flower-laden stage formed a bright background for the long tables covered with fruit, and the hot-house plants which occupied the centre of the hall. Among the notable exhibits of pears were those of George Frost, C. N. Brackett and George S. Harwood. Miss S. E. Wales exhibited a dish of strawberries, and Miss A. K. Allen one of blackberries—two rather unusual exhibits for the season. Collections of greenhouse plants, exhibited by Henry Ross and L. H. Fuller, occupied the center of the floor.

John Stearns, C. B. Lancaster, and Mrs. M. T. Goddard were among the largest contributors of vegetables. Upon the stage was the flower exhibit. Among the noteworthy exhibits in this section were E. and A. H. Fewkes, dahlias and verbenas; W. K. Wood and Sarah L. Dix, cut flowers; Mrs. R. E. Ashenden, asters and dahlias; Severance Burrage, wild flowers; Miss Maud Atkinson, bouquets.

Prizes were awarded as follows:—

FLOWERS.	
Greenhouse plants, 1st prize	L. H. Farlow.
2d prize	Henry Ross.
Greenhouse ferns, 1st prize	Henry Ross.
2d prize	Henry Ross.
Specimens plant in flower and plants in foliage, 1st prize	W. K. Wood.
2d prize	S. L. Dix.
Cut flowers, 1st prize	Chas. Ross.
2d prize	Severance Burrage.
Wild flowers, 1st prize	Frank C. Hyde.
2d prize	Severance Burrage.
Native ferns, 1st prize	W. H. Payne.
Parlor bouquet, 1st prize	W. H. Payne.
2d prize	W. H. Payne.
Hand bouquet, 1st prize	Maud Atkinson.
2d prize	Maud Atkinson.
Table Design, 1st prize	C. H. Jensen.
2d prize	Alice G. Wadsworth.
3d prize	Mrs. A. D. Wood.
Basket of flowers, 1st prize	Maud Atkinson.
2d prize	B. A. Winton.
Decorations in Exhibition, 1st prize	Maud Atkinson.
2d prize	Edith B. Wadsworth.
3d prize	W. W. Trowbridge.
Gratuities.—Pansies, F. and A. H. Fewkes; Clematis, Henry Ross; Zinnias, Edith B. Wadsworth; Bouquet, George Lester; Nasturtiums, Alice G. Wadsworth; Cut flowers, Mrs. M. T. Goddard; Native ferns, Mrs. Jas. Lester; Single dahlias, Geo. L. Lovett; Asters, Mrs. M. M. Wadsworth; Parlor bouquet, Maud Atkinson; Hardy foliage plants, W. C. Strong; Verbenas and Dahlias, E. and A. H. Fewkes; Pot plants, Mrs. C. H. Jensen; Plant in flower, W. H. Payne; Two plants, M. T. Goddard; Cut flowers, Mrs. R. E. Ashenden; Bouquets, Maud and Susie McCarthy.	

VEGETABLES.	
Lima beans, 1st prize	C. N. Brackett.
2d prize	G. F. Stone.
Sugar beets, 1st prize	G. F. Stone.
2d prize	Wm. Dix.
Carrots, 1st prize	C. B. Lancaster.
2d prize	John Stearns.
Cauliflower, 1st prize	John Stearns.
2d prize	C. B. Lancaster.
Celery, 1st prize	William Claflin.
2d prize	Mrs. M. T. Goddard.
Indian Corn, 1st prize	John Stearns.
2d prize	Geo. D. Dix.
Musk Melons, 1st prize	Wm. Claflin.
2d prize	C. N. Brackett.
Greenfresh Melons, 1st prize	John Ward.
2d prize	George D. Dix.
Potatoes, four varieties, 1st prize	C. B. Lancaster.
2d prize	Mrs. M. T. Goddard.
3d prize	C. B. Lancaster.
Canada Squash, 1st prize	Henry Paul.
2d prize	Henry Paul.
Hubbard Squash, 1st prize	Henry Paul.
2d prize	Henry Paul.
Marrow Squash, 1st prize	C. N. Brackett.
2d prize	Geo. F. Stone.
Turban Squash, 1st prize	Henry Paul.
2d prize	Henry Paul.
Tomatoes, three varieties, 1st prize	C. N. Brackett.
2d prize	Geo. F. Stone.
Tomatoes, two varieties, 1st prize	Henry Paul.
2d prize	Henry Paul.

APPLES.	
Best ten varieties, 1st prize	C. N. Brackett.
2d prize	Henry Paul.
Best six varieties, 1st prize	Edward Upham.
2d prize	Mrs. M. T. Goddard.
Best three varieties, 1st prize	Wm. Claflin.
2d prize	Wm. Claflin.
Best one variety, 1st prize	Roland H. King.
2d prize	J. F. C. Hyde.
Gravensteins, 1st prize	Henry Paul.
2d prize	G. E. Allen.
Rhode Island Greenings, 1st prize	C. N. Brackett.
2d prize	Mrs. M. T. Goddard.
Russets, 1st prize	Mrs. M. T. Goddard.
Gratuities.—J. T. Allen.	

SMALL FRUITS.	
Plums, best display, 1st prize	John Grant.
2d prize	Mrs. M. T. Goddard.
Grapes, Brighton, 1st prize	M. M. Wadsworth.
2d prize	E. A. Faddock.
" Concord, 1st prize	M. M. Wadsworth.
2d prize	E. A. Faddock.
" Moore's Early, 1st prize	Arthur Howard.
2d prize	F. C. Hyde.
" Delaware, 1st prize	Maud Atkinson.
2d prize	John Stearns.
Best basket fruits, six varieties, 1st prize	Mrs. J. D. Wellington.
2d prize	Mrs. J. D. Wellington.
Cranberries, best half peck	Mrs. Jas. Lester.
Canned fruit, 1st prize	Mrs. J. D. Wellington.
2d prize	Mrs. J. D. Wellington.
Gratuities.—Quinces, E. T. Wiswall, G. L. Marcy, John Ward; Crab Apples, Ed. Upham, D. C. Butler, B. W. Walker, J. T. Allen; Plums, M. M. Wadsworth; Grapes, Geo. E. Allen, M. M. Wadsworth (five varieties); W. H. Stewart, Arthur Howard, J. W. Stone; Blackberries, Annie K. Allen; Strawberries, S. Etta Wales; Currants, Carrie B. Fleming; Honey, J. T. Allen; Canned fruits, Mrs. W. H. Folsom.	

THE ANNUAL FESTIVAL.

The annual festival of the Horticultural Society was called to order at 8 p. m. by Mr. N. T. Allen, who, after a prayer by Rev. Mr. Kimball of West Newton, and singing by the Alpine Quartet, invited the 150 people present to partake of the fruits and other edibles before them.

At 8.45, Mr. Allen once more called the meeting to order and stated that, as Mr. Ross, the president of the society, was unable to be present, he should try to fill Mr. Ross's position to the best of his ability. After a few pleasant and interesting remarks, and singing by the Quartet, Mr. Allen introduced Dr. Waite, secretary of the American Board of Civics and editor of *The Citizen*. Dr. Waite spoke of the lessons to be drawn from the surrounding flowers and fruit, and strongly advocated the introduction of true moral principles into general and political life.

Mr. Horatio King, who was next introduced, said he considered it the greatest blessing of his life that he had been born and raised on a farm, and read the following lines from a poem entitled "Employ-

ment Necessary to Happiness," in which he had attempted to embody his estimate of farming:

"Where seek we first the ruddy bloom of health,
A boon without which none can boast of wealth?
Where but among the happy, free and gay,
Where honest labor rules the live-long day?
Go visit yonder farm house on the green,
If it so happens you have never been,
And see what favors Fortune doth allow
To him whose pride it is to hold the plow.
Go on a summer eve, near set of sun,
And when the well-planned, hard day's work is done,
See how the farmer and his rugged boys,
The wife and daughter, cherish life's rich joys,
Free from the cares that hinder or destroy
The calm delight of those who shun employ.
Behold his field of richly waving grain,
Moved by the breeze that moves along the plain.
See how they smile, kiss'd by the rosy lips
Of mellow sunbeams ere the night's eclipse,
In shade just changing to a yellow hue,
In every aspect beautiful to view."

Mr. King closed by offering the following toast:—"The best primary school—the farm; the best *alma mater*—the printing office."

After singing by the quartet, Mr. Allen introduced Mr. J. P. C. Hyde as one best able to respond to the first part of Mr. King's toast. Mr. Hyde said that he was sorry that this year's exhibition and attendance at the festival was not better, and hoped that more young men and women would join the society; he complimented Severance Burrage, N. H. S. '88, on his fine exhibit of 115 labeled varieties of wild flowers, and on his exhibit of natural ferns. He mentioned an interesting fact that 11 of the 12 young men who originated the society in 1854 are living to-day.

Mr. Burrage was then introduced. He said that he took great interest in the society and should do all he could to forward its aims. After a few interesting remarks by Rev. Mr. Kimball, Mr. Allen introduced Mr. James T. Allen, who thought that Nature had something to do with the pooriness of this year's exhibition; he said that there had been a great improvement in all kinds of fruits since the formation of the society, and related an amusing anecdote in support of his statement.

Mr. E. W. Wood, our next senator, was the next speaker to be introduced. He agreed with Mr. Hyde that it was necessary to interest young people in the society, and hoped that at the coming annual meeting either steps would be taken to greatly improve the society or to end its existence. The meeting was ended at 10.05 p. m. by the audience rising and singing "America."

Real Estate.

Mr. W. B. Young of Newton Centre and 25 Congress St., Boston, offers exceptional advantages to parties wishing to buy or sell real estate, to build or to contract fire insurance. He is a reliable agent and it will pay to call on him.

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In Newton Centre, Sept. 15, by Rev. D. L. Furber, James Foster and Miss Fannie Miller, both of Boston.

In Newton, Sept. 22, in Grace Church, by Rev. Dr. G. W. Shinn, Mr. Richard Walden Shapleigh of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Helen Shapleigh of Germantown, Pa.

In Boston, Sept. 22, in Trinity Church, by Rev. Dr. Phillips Brooks, assisted by Rev. Dr. G. W. Shinn, Mr. Chas. Goodyear, Jr., of Newton, and Miss Clarissa Goodyear of Boston.

DIED.

In Newton Centre, Sept. 19, John McCarthy, 67 yrs.

In Newton, Sept. 19, Mabel R., daughter of Thomas and Hannah Rafferty, 4 yrs., 6 mos.

In Newton, Sept. 18, Frank, son of Moses and Celia Tern, 10 mos.

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CITY OF
NEWTON.

To the Honorable the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen of the City of Newton:

Your petitioners respectfully represent that they are in process of organizing an Electric Light and Power Company under the Public Statutes of Massachusetts, for the purpose of manufacturing and furnishing Electric Lights and Power in the City of Newton.

Your petitioners further represent that under the Public Statutes and laws of Massachusetts, it is necessary that an application should be made to your honorable body for permission to erect poles, wires and proper apparatus, as well as to secure right of way, that said Corporation may properly and successfully carry on its business.

Your petitioners further represent that when said Corporation is fully organized and the capital stock subscribed and the Charter granted, an application will be made in aid of this petition by said Corporation, that the same will be done as soon as may be under the laws.

Wherefore your petitioners pray that your honorable body will grant said Corporation the right to erect poles, construct lines of wire and other necessary apparatus, in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth, for distributing electricity and furnishing electric light and power, and to that end, that they may have the use of the streets and of poles and other fixtures already erected, under reasonable and proper conditions.

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GEO. MORSE,
ALBERT F. UPTON,
HERBERT G. PRATT,
SAMUEL P. PUTNAM,
WILLIAM HOLLINGS,
HENRY F. ROSS.

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Newton:

The President, and Board of Directors of the Newton Electric Light and Power Company respectfully petition for leave to erect poles and run wires for the purpose of transmitting electricity to furnish light or power along and through the following named Sts., in said City of Newton: Beginning on Washington St., in that part of Newton called Newtonville, and running along the same to West Newton, Woodland Hotel, Newton Lower Falls and Auburndale, respectively so called; also from the first named point on Washington Street, in said Newtonville, along said street to Newton Corner, so called, through Centre Street to Newton Centre, so called, through Beacon Street from the division line between the Cities of Boston and Newton to Walnut Street; through Walnut Street from the corner of Beacon Street to said Washington Street in said Newtonville; also through Walnut Street from Beacon Street to Newton Highlands, so called; also through Church Street and Tremont Street to the division line between the Cities of Boston and Newton; also from said Newtonville through Walnut Street and Watertown Street to the division line between the City of Newton and the Town of Watertown; also from the corner formed by Galen Street and Centre Street, through said Galen Street to the division line between said Newton and Watertown. Newton, September 6, 1886.

HORACE B. PARKER, President
AUSTIN R. MITCHELL, Board of Directors
HENRY F. ROSS,
GEO. W. MORSE.

CITY OF NEWTON.

In the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Sept. 20, 1886.

Ordered. That upon the Petition of the Newton Electric Light and Power Company for permit to erect poles and run wires through certain streets of the City of Newton, a public hearing be given before the Board of Aldermen at City Hall, on Monday, Sept. 27th, 1886, at seven o'clock P. M., and

NEWTONVILLE.

—Mrs. E. A. Pope is in Saratoga.

—Mrs. J. L. Roberts has returned from Adirondacks.

—Miss Annie P. Call has resumed her duties at Lasell Seminary.

—Mr. Richard Rowe is rusticated at Rangeley, Maine.

—Mr. Henry Ross has removed to his house on Walnut street, just below the cemetery gate.

—At Mr. William Clafin's a few days ago, the juvenile friends of little Miss Moss were pleasantly entertained.

—We are glad to know that Miss Grace Pinkham's school for the little ones will open very soon.

—Mrs. L. H. Houghton and children are visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Freeman, at Bridgeport, Conn.

—A wee son came to the home of Mr. H. B. Parker, on Washington Park, Tuesday morning. Congratulations are in order.

—Miss Sarah Deshon has returned to her home in Meriden, Conn. She took a number of excellent sketches while here.

—The Newtonville Associates have bought the Roberts estate, and intend to erect a handsome brick block for business purposes.

—Mr. John Paine, the obliging and courteous attendant at Williams' drug store, has gone to Wilmington, Delaware, for a short vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Luther Clarke have returned from their European trip, having enjoyed the interesting scenes on the other side.

—Mrs. A. R. D. Dalton and her son, Mr. William Cragin, have gone to Hartford, Conn., where they will tarry a short time before leaving for California.

—Miss Tewksbury (with Miss Emily P. Meann of Boston) has taken a studio in the Studio Building, on Tremont street, Boston. May success attend her.

—Mr. George W. Morse was re-elected president of the 2d Mass. infantry association, at their annual reunion held at the Quincy House, Boston.

—The patrons of the telegraph office are sorry to hear that Miss Reardon will no longer be in attendance. Her kind attention and desire to oblige every one was most thoroughly appreciated.

—The cards are out for the wedding of Miss Sadie Smith and Mr. Robert Hall. It will take place in the Universalist church in Newtonville, at noon, on Wednesday, October 6th. They will go to housekeeping at the Vera, in Boston Highlands.

—It is remarkable to see how instantaneously a crowd will appear in a quiet town. We were impressed by this fact when the alarm was struck out, Monday afternoon, and the well trained horses of the fire department appeared, surrounded and hemmed in by a large number of wondering spectators. The City Government were out on a tour of inspection with friends from Brockton.

—The oldest son of Mr. Willard Higgins, aged of fourteen years, narrowly escaped being run over by the 4.30 express train Monday afternoon. The ever vigilant and thoughtful gate-tender, Mr. Douglas, by a quick action, saved the youth from an untimely end. The efficiency and fidelity with which this veteran employee stands at his post is a matter of great thankfulness—or should be—to the mothers and fathers whose little ones so constantly cross the track on their way to and from school.

—The installation services of the Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., will be held in the Central Congregational church, at Newtonville, Friday, October first. The council has been called to meet at three o'clock in the afternoon, and the hour for the installation services fixed at seven o'clock in the evening. It is expected that Rev. Dr. Burton of Hartford, Prof. J. W. Churchill of Andover Theological Seminary, Prof. L. T. Townsend of the Boston University, Rev. George A. Gordon of the Old South Church, Boston, and Rev. H. J. Patrick and Rev. Theo. J. Holmes of Newton will take part in the installation. The public are cordially invited to the services of both afternoon and evening.

WEST NEWTON.

—Our former Chief of Police, Mr. Hinds, was in town this week.

—Mr. Sayford will speak this (Friday) evening, in the Congregational Chapel at a quarter before 8.

—The family of Mrs. Jones and her sister, Miss Furbur, have returned from their long sojourn at Nantucket.

—An alarm of fire was rung out Sunday night, by a falling telegraph pole on the wires.

—The J. E. Bacon house on Washington street has been leased by Mr. Maynard of Newtonville.

—The J. P. Gates estate has been leased by Mr. Richards, and Mr. Gates and family will spend the winter in town.

—In the police court this week, five boys were up for trespassing on a Newtonville orchard, and were fined \$11 and costs.

—The Knights of Labor had a largely attended meeting in the City Hall, Monday evening, to listen to an address by Mr. Foster.

—Several of our citizens visited Dedham on the celebration of her 250th anniversary, taking carriages and joining in the procession.

—Mr. J. H. Nickerson has a large assortment of fall and winter suits, and also makes up suits, overcoats, etc., in the best style and at moderate prices.

—Mrs. Alonzo Onthank and her daughters, for the last four or five years residents of Beaufort, Ga., are spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. John Greenwood, Temple street. Their old neighbors on

Elm street held a pleasant reunion with them Thursday m., prior to their departure for the South.

—Mr. George Frost, with Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Pratt, Mrs. Wm. Houghton and a few others, has gone for a trip to the White Mountains.

—The house formerly occupied by Mr. Graham Phillips on Cherry street, has been rented by Mr. Kimball, teacher in the School of Technology, Boston.

—The cards for the wedding of Miss Julia Stone and Mr. Herbert Pike, are out. It will take place at the house of her father next Tuesday evening. A select few will have the pleasure of being present.

—At the meeting of Crescent Commandery, No. 86, United Order Golden Cross, held Monday evening, suitable resolutions were made on the death of their late Sir Knight, Charles S. Phillips.

—At the meeting of officers and committees from the four Societies of Christian Endeavor in the city, matters of interest to the societies were discussed, and plans for more efficient work formed.

—Mr. Lewis Rich, who purchased the store of C. G. Phillips, is an enterprising merchant, and his large assortment of goods makes his store popular with West Newton people.

—The young people of the Baptist Church met at their vestry Wednesday evening, and organized a Literary Society, with the choice of Charles Putnam for president, Miss Margaret Smith, vice president, and Miss Jessie Stickle secretary and treasurer.

—Much sympathy has been expressed for the highly esteemed organist of the Congregational Church, Mr. Trowbridge, in his sickness and bereavement. He is slowly recovering at Magnolia, and hopes soon to resume his place.

—Mr. Edward and Miss Mary Bond have gone to the Unitarian Conference at Saratoga this week. They went by the way of the Catskill Mountains, where they remained over the Sabbath. The friends of Mr. Lawrence Bond will be gratified to learn that within the last few days he has made a marked advance in health.

—A grand festival and bazaar is to be held at Music Hall, Boston, in Dec., by the Woman Suffragists of the State. Tuesday evening the Newton League met with Mrs. George Walton to listen to Rev. Annie H. Shaw in reference to it. Plans and suggestions were given by Mrs. Shaw, and questions asked, the matter being freely discussed. Articles are solicited from all interested in the success of the undertaking.

—The Mayor of Brockton with other city officers, visited Newton Monday last, for the purpose of witnessing our various improvements. They were met by our city officials and driven through the various wards. In Newtonville the Mayor pulled in the fire alarm, and the alacrity to which it was responded gave them special satisfaction. Before leaving they were invited to Lee's Hotel, where they partook of a generous lunch.

—W. A. Gates, Agent for the Concord Pump Manufacturing Company, will give an exhibition on the vacant lot opposite the Police Station, West Newton, Wednesday, Sept. 29th, at 5 o'clock p. m. Large fires will be built, with various kinds of combustibles, which Mr. Gates with the aid of the Pump and chemicals expects to extinguish almost instantly. Property owners and all others are cordially invited to be present.

—Over \$60,000 worth of stock in the proposed new National Bank has been subscribed already, and it is thought the remainder will be easily raised, with a little effort on the part of the committee. Mr. Nickerson will receive subscriptions at his store. A large number of citizens are taking one or more shares, and such a popular distribution of the stock is especially favored by Mr. Nickerson and the committee.

—In the Unitarian Church, the subject of Mr. Jaynes' discourse was the spirit in which we should meet the faults and failings of those about us. The text "Forty stripes save one." There are different ways in which they are met. The spirit "I am holier than thou" leads to pass them by. That of the religious aristocrat that sits in the cushioned chair of indifference, taking no share in the interests of the common world about him. And thirdly, the class that lets open the sluice ways of misguided sympathy. But the better spirit is that so often dwelt upon in the Bible, "Justice and Mercy." The spirit that condemns the crime, but has compassion on the offender. Withholding of the fortieth stripe will go farther in reclaiming a fallen brother, than the thirty-nine inflicted.

AUBURNDALE.

—There are fifty more pupils in the Williams School than any previous autumn.

—Mr. R. M. Pulsifer, of the Boston Herald, and wife, sailed for home from their European tour by the Adriatic, Sept. 23.

—Mr. Horatio Wm. Parker of Auburndale, professor of music in the Cathedral School at Garden City, Long Island, was married August 6th, in Munich, Bavaria, to Fraulein Anna Ploessl, daughter of Franz Ploessl, Bankmaster in Munich.

—Last Saturday evening a complimentary concert was given at the Woodland Park Hotel, by Mrs. Helen E. H. Carter and the Weber quartet. Hundreds of invited guests were present in spite of the rain, and the concert was a very successful and pleasant one.

—Some of the residents on Auburn street object very much to having their street occupied by the street railroad. They claim that it is quite too narrow for carriage travel now, and there are few who are willing to shorten their own walks and driveways in order to widen the street.

—The program of music at the Methodist church next Sunday, will include an anthem by Dudley Buck, "Arise, shine, for thy light is come," "O Lamb of God," by

Stainer, and "O praise the Lord," by Tours. Mr. Dennison sang last Sunday evening a new song by J. L. Gilbert, "Nothing but Leaves."

—At the Church of the Messiah, on Tuesday morning, St. Matthew's Day, Rev. Dr. Shinn officiated at the celebration of the Holy Communion. There was a good attendance. The rector writes from Innspruch, Austria, an address to his parishioners, reminding them of the anniversary of the opening of the church, and requesting every communicant to be present on Wednesday, Sept. 29th, being the Festival of St. Michael and all angels. Service at 7.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Rev. Dr. Shinn, who officiated at the opening service five years ago, will have charge of both these services. Rev. Mr. Metcalf was to sail on Sept. 17th, in the State of Georgia, from Glasgow.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Mr. James Humphries' family, who for several weeks have been suffering from malarial fever, are now convalescent.

—Mrs. Vaught Jones is spending, with her son and his wife, a week at the White Mountains.

—A cornstalk 11 feet 3 inches high, from the garden of Mr. S. F. Emery, has been on exhibition at W. P. Holden's store.

—These are busy times with our coal dealers, John Dolan and Daniel Warren, who are obliged to keep their teams going from morning till night, to supply the wants of their many customers, who are anticipating the approach of winter.

—The new foot-bridge is a great convenience to the mill employees, enabling many of them to devote more time to the noon-day meal, because of the less distance to walk. It is some two feet higher than the old one, and beyond the reach of the spring floods.

—Mr. Patrick Leonard, employed at the River paper mills, has resumed work. Several weeks since about 900 pounds of paper pulp fell upon him, completely burying him, and it was more than an hour before he could be extricated. His escape from death borders on the miraculous.

WABAN.

—Mr. Edward L. Collins has returned from a brief visit to New York.

—Mr. W. C. Strong is putting in the foundation for a new house of ample dimensions, to be located near his present residence.

—Mr. W. A. Dresser has the plans drawn for a fine residence, to be located on the elevation south of the railroad, on Chestnut street.

—Among the possibilities of the near future is a new street, 100 feet wide, from Beacon to Washington street, on the north side of the railroad.

Newton Cottage Hospital.

The regular quarterly meeting of the trustees was held at the hospital on Monday afternoon, Sept. 20th. There were twelve members of the Board present, and, by invitation, a committee from the medical board, consisting of Drs. Hunt, Seales and Crockett. The president and vice-president being absent, Mr. Ellison was chosen chairman pro tem. The committee from the medical board suggested: First, that measures should be taken to induce the B. & A. R. R. Co., and the Nonantum Worsteds Co., to support free beds in the hospital; and second, that the city government should be asked to make an annual appropriation towards the expenses of the hospital, to aid in the care of the poor who become inmates of the institution. The board fully concurred in the suggestions of the committee, and referred the matter to the finance committee to take the necessary steps for their accomplishment.

The building committee reported that they were erecting horse sheds, and would begin the few necessary alterations ordered by the board as soon as the treasurer was in funds.

The executive committee reported that they had held monthly meetings to transact the necessary business in the interim of the trustees' meetings, and that the hospital had during the summer cared for twenty-four patients, all of whom had recovered with the exception of one injured man who was carried there in a dying condition. Some of these patients would have had a much smaller chance for recovery if cared for in their homes.

The treasurer reported an annoying lack of funds; some \$2,300 being needed at once to liquidate the debt on the building. The finance committee were instructed to take immediate measures for procuring subscriptions for meeting the deficit.

A letter was read from Mr. J. R. Leeson, of Newton Centre, enclosing a check for one thousand dollars, requesting the trustees to make a separate investment of the sum as the "Margaret Leeson Fund," the interest on the same to be applied towards the maintenance of the children's ward.

Mr. Leeson's gift was accepted with sincere thanks, and the finance committee authorized to invest the same in accordance with Mr. Leeson's wishes. This gift is in memory of a deceased daughter.

A letter was read from Mr. G. D. Gilman, accompanying the gift of an invalid's bed and asking the acceptance of the same. This gift was also accepted, and the secretary directed to acknowledge the same with thanks. The bed has been in service several weeks in a case of fractured thigh, and has been found very useful and comfortable.

The secretary called attention to the fact that since the last meeting a member of the board, Miss Sarah Crain, had been removed from this world by death, and after remarks by Rev. Dr. Shinn appreciative of Miss Crain's interest in and labors for the hospital, it was

Voted, that Dr. Shinn and Dr. Whiston be appointed a committee to prepare resolutions on the event; said resolutions to be placed upon the record and a copy sent to the relatives of Miss Crain and to the Newton papers.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

The caucuses for the election of delegates to the state, congressional, councilor and county conventions were chosen in the various wards in the city Wednesday evening, the attendance being very light in most cases. The delegates chosen are given below.

WARD 1.

F. G. Barnes was elected chairman and C. Bowditch Coffin secretary. After the reading of the call, delegates were chosen for the various conventions as follows:—

State, E. W. Converse, C. H. Stone; congressional, E. H. Hollis, Dr. J. F. Frisbie; councilor, F. G. Barnes, J. C. Potter; senatorial, F. W. Stone, Dr. E. P. Scales; county, S. W. Tucker, F. A. Dearborn.

Dr. Frisbie said he had an important matter to bring before the meeting. Last year he was unfortunate enough to be on the finance committee of Ward 1. He found great difficulty in collecting the necessary funds, and wrote about twenty letters to various gentlemen requesting a subscription, but received only one reply. There was a bill of twelve dollars still standing against the party in this ward. He was on the finance committee this year, and as there was fifty dollars to be raised, he desired some method to accomplish the desired end. A general discussion followed, but no action was taken on the matter. Upon motion of Mr. Stone, each delegation was empowered to fill vacancies, and the meeting adjourned.

WARD 7.

The caucus was called to order in Eliot Hall by Councilman John C. Kennedy. Hon. Wm. P. Ellison was unanimously elected chairman, and Councilman Kennedy secretary. Mr. Thomas Weston, Jr., moved that a committee of five be appointed by the chair to draw up a list of delegates to the several conventions. The chair appointed Thomas Weston, Jr., Isaac T. Burr, Dr. David K. Hitchcock, James W. French, and Samuel L. Powers. The committee reported the following list:—

State, William P. Ellison, Dr. David K. Hitchcock; congressional, George S. Bullens, Warren P. Tyler; councilor, Edward W. Cate, Samuel Farquhar; senatorial, James W. French, John Stetson; county, Samuel L. Powers, John A. Conkey.

The report was accepted and unanimously adopted. Mr. H. E. Bothfield moved that delegates to the senatorial convention be instructed to vote for Mr. E. W. Wood of Newton for Senator; carried. Joseph N. Bacon moved to instruct delegates to use their influence so far as possible to nominate anti-saloon men; carried. Delegates were authorized to appoint substitutes. John Stetson declines to act if he must vote for Mr. Wood's nomination, regardless of his (Wood's) position on the question of United States Senator. Mr. I. T. Burr moved to rescind the vote instructing delegates to vote for Mr. Wood's nomination. Mr. Powers opposed this, but the motion was carried. Mr. Kennedy asked that delegates to the county convention express their choice in regard to county commissioner. Mr. Frost, the present incumbent, and Mr. Gleason of Natick were the candidates. Mr. Powers said that he took the place only to help nominate a well-known Newton man for District Attorney, and did not know anything in regard to the County Commissioner controversy. Mr. Conkey had never heard of Mr. Gleason before, and knew nothing of the merits of the case, so no instructions were given. On motion of Mr. Weston, the Ward and City Committee were instructed to solicit subscriptions toward meeting expenses of the fall campaign.

IN OTHER WARDS.

Ward 2—State, the Hon. J. W. Kimball, B. S. Grant; congressional, the Hon. William Clafin, Dr. O. E. Hunt; senatorial, Henry Ross, E. W. Bailey; councilor, Joseph Byers, C. D. Cabot; county, W. S. Stetson, E. H. Pierce.

Ward 3—State, E. W. Wood, J. T. Allen; congressional, F. E. Crockett, L. G. Pratt; senatorial, A. K. Tolman, J. H. Nickerson; councilor, W. E. Sheldon, N. T. Allen; county, G. H. Ingraham, A. J. Fiske.

Ward 4—State, N. W. Farley, L. E. Leland; congressional, C. E. Ranlett, G. R. Coffin; senatorial, E. L. Pickard, W. H. Blood; councilor, J. B. Stewart, H. G. Hildreth; county, G. M. Fiske, W. B. Ather-ton.

Ward 5—State, the Hon. Levi C. Wade, Walter Allen; congressional, Otis Pettie, Willard Marcy; senatorial, William Pierce, E. J. Hyde; councilor, E. G. Pond, E. H. Greenwood; county, Dr. Eben Thompson, Dr. J. R. Deane.

Ward 6—State, Mellen Bray, J. R. Leeson; congressional, the Hon. R. R. Bishop, the Rev. Heman Lincoln; senatorial, A. L. Rand, H. Read; councilor, Dwight Chester, A. D. S. Bell; county, E. H. Mason, E. T. Colburn.

Democratic Caucus.

The Democrats of Newton held their caucus at Cycle Hall, Newtonville, Saturday evening, with a large and interested attendance. J. Harris Reed was chosen chairman, and C. H. Hopkins secretary. The delegates were instructed to support W. B. Russell for Governor. Resolutions were adopted indorsing the administration of President Cleveland, and instructing the congressional delegates to support no one but a tariff reformer for congress. Following is the list of delegates and of the City Committee:—

Delegates—State at large, J. Harris Reed; Ward 1, E. O. Childs, C. H. Graves, Edwin Holman; Ward 2, J. W. Stover, George E. Bridges, James Dunn; Ward 3, Thomas Drew, M. J. Duane, E. S. Merchant; Ward 4, Frederick Lyon, W. E. Plummer, John Dolan; Ward 5, R. B. Daily, R. T. Sullivan, W. H. McOwen; Ward 6, S. M. Jackson, C. C. Barton; Ward 7, F. J. Parker, L. D. Boise. The above delegates were also chosen to attend the other conventions or appoint substitutes.

Ward and City Committee—Ward 1, E. O. Childs, C. H. Graves, E. J. Burke, George Pike, G. H. Morgan; Ward 2, J. W. Stover, Geo. E. Bridges, J. H. Williams, J. F. Harrigan, James Dunn; Ward 3, T. B. Fitz, J. Harris Reed, M. J. Duane, Thomas Drew, Frank Humphrey; Ward 4, W. E. Plummer, John Dolan, P. A. McVicar, W. A. Leonard, F. C. Lyon; Ward 5, R. T. Sullivan, C. H. Hale, P. T. Bagley, F. W. Barney, W. H. McOwen; Ward 6, C. C. Barton, S. M. Jackson, T. C. Donovan, P. J. Linnehan, J. W. Pope; Ward 7, F. J. Parker, L. D. Boise, John W. Hahn, Jesse C. Ivy, A. C. Mudge.

A Word to Housekeepers.

Now that the preserving season has come, the suggestion is made that the new hospital should be remembered.

One lady says that the proper plan is to put aside every tenth jar of jelly or fruit, and mark it "For the Hospital."

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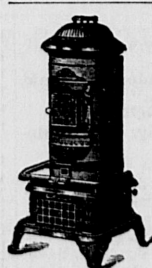
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IN LOVE'S GARDEN.

[Charles Warren Stoddard, in Sept. Overland.]
Within the pleasant pastures where I feed,
Love blooms away and blossoms bear their seed:
Thistle nor thorn is suffered there to grow.
Then blow, O every blossom! bud and blow;
Bear blissful fruit; drop seed from blossoms
blown;
Spring, bud and blossom evermore, love-sown.
What if betimes the fond heart maketh moan,
And the unbidden tear begins to flow?
Happy my lot—thrice happy lot indeed!
Full well I know that if I bleed, I bleed
For thy sweet sake, O Love! Full well I know
I bleed and suffer for thy sake alone.

THE PRIZE THEY RACED FOR.

[Colin Gray in The Cycle.]

It was a noble mansion before which he stopped, and alighting from his wheel, he leaned it against the arbor and approached the door. He was met by a servant.

"Is my sister at home?"
"Miss Hamilton is at home, sir. She is in the dining-room."

At half-past 6 o'clock every night, Mr. Hamilton asked the same question precisely, and received precisely the same answer. He had reduced his living to a system, and could tell to the fraction of a second just when to arrive at his home. He had made it a practice to take a spin upon his wheel every day after office hours, and his runs were so well timed that half-past 6 always saw him at his door. Leaving his wheel to the care of a servant, he sought his own room and quickly changed his riding suit to one more fitting the dining-room. On this evening he was a little more particular than usual; after dinner he was going with his sister to a lawn party, and he was a trifle nervous under Madge's bright eyes. "She sees everything," he mentally complained, "and I would rather wear a tight coat than have her twist me about a loose one." So he took pains with his toilet and was rewarded by a pleasant little nod of approval. He was a good-looking fellow, and men don't object to be told so, even by the women of their own family.

"We may as well have dinner, Jack; aunt has gone to Dr. Harwood's; she will not be at home till late."

So dinner was served; and after it, as Madge sat with her cup of coffee in her hand, she said, "Jack, come to the fire half an hour; I want to talk to you."

"And I want to talk to you, Madge. I heard something last night that annoyed me extremely."

"At the bicycle club, of course."

"Yes, at the club."

"I thought you only talked about bicycle subjects there?"

"As a general thing, we don't; but Karl Potter had heard something about you he thought it right to tell me."

"Something disagreeable, of course. People never 'think it right' to tell pleasant things. Well, what was it?"

"You know Edgar Sterling and Grant Digby?"

"Why, yes, I know them as athletic young men, who are much interested in bicycle racing. I know that they have competed with each other many times; and I know that their friends all say that it is hard to tell which is the fleetest rider. I distinctly remember being present at several races when they have competed, and I suppose I have shouted in a very unlady-like way when one has beaten the other. Add to this that they are both in the habit of calling upon me, and you may judge whether I know them or not."

"They are lovers of yours."

"They are among the list."

"I thought myself that they were favored visitors."

"My dear Jack, don't pretend to think about things too high for you."

"They, at any rate, think so."

Madge's face flushed angrily. "How do you know that?"

"Karl Potter told me so."

"Don't speak in enigmas, Jack, please. They always put me in a passion. How can Karl Potter know anything about either Grant Digby or Edgar Sterling? He is not in their set at all. I don't believe they ever speak to each other."

"Dame Rumor has a voice for every one."

"You don't mean to say, Jack, that you have been guilty of listening to what Dame Rumor says, especially when she talks about your sister? Upon my word, I believe that bicycle club is a perfect school for scandal."

"Don't be so scornful, Madge; I consider myself under great obligation to Karl for telling me. I know it was hard for him to do it, for men do not carry the words of Dame Rumor directly to those against whom they addressed unless they want to do a friendly act."

"Very well; what does rumor say? I have made up my mind for something spiteful, and so you need not fear giving me the story just as it came to you."

"You shall have it, Madge. Do you remember the day I took you to the club races? And have you forgotten how keenly you were interested? I want you to concentrate your mind upon one race in particular. It was the one in which Sterling and Digby were the only competitors. Don't you remember how surprised you were that there were but two men in the race? And can't you recall how you applauded when the men came down the home stretch for the finish?"

"I remember very well, you know; there is no need for you to recall the incident; I was very much interested."

"Do you know what the prize was in that contest?"

"Oh, yes! it was a diamond ring. Mr. Digby showed it to me after the race. You

remember that he won it. Mr. Sterling was close behind, and Digby only won by an inch they said at the time."

"Yes, the published prize was a diamond ring, but the prize they were striving for was yourself, Madge Hamilton. The scoundrels! I have a great mind to horse-whip them."

"Indeed! Keep your temper, Jack, and go on."

"They made a bargain in the tent before the race. They had been talking it over before. It was agreed that the one who won the race should have the first chance to propose for your hand. Then they went around and hired the other men to stay out of the race, so that it should be confined to those two alone. It was further agreed that if Digby won your consent he was to pay Sterling twenty-five thousand dollars as soon as possible after his marriage, and if Sterling won, he was to give Digby a like sum. Sterling is in a financial difficulty, and he wants to get out of it with the money obtained in this way. Is it not enough to drive a fellow to extremities? I've a good mind to shoot them on sight."

"Don't lose control of yourself, Jack! You see how cool I am. I don't propose to let the thing disturb me in any way. The fellows are no worse now than they were before, only they are found out. I can hardly believe that Edgar Sterling entered into the bargain without compunctions."

"It was Digby who made the proposal. Sterling hesitated at first, but I imagine he is in a desperate strait at present, and willing to do anything to extricate himself from trouble."

"Certainly he is. What is a poor girl's name or happiness or honor, compared with the annoyance of pressing creditors?"

"Don't look that way, Madge, darling, or I know I'll shoot the fellows. I only meant to warn you. I wish anything less than the whole truth would have done it."

"It would not; women judge men by themselves,—that is where we go wrong. Please leave this affair in my hands. I will bring it to a satisfactory solution, never you fear."

Madge was putting the finishing touches to her toilet as she said these words, and it was not long after that she left her house on her brother's arm on the way to the lawn party. It was one of those midsummer affairs held on the expansive lawn and the wooded portions of a large estate on the outskirts of the city. The grove was hung with Chinese lanterns and the lawn was brilliantly lighted. Booths were erected all about, and bands of music lent their sweet strains to the occasion. The brilliant costumes of the ladies gave a charm to the scene, and the soft warm air made the evening out-of-doors one of exquisite pleasure. There were rustic seats under the foliage and along the borders of the lawn, and these were populated by the elderly guests, and those at remote distances were patronized by the lovers and friends of more youthful years.

Grant Digby and Edgar Sterling were crossing the lawn when they chanced to pass a booth in which were seated Jack Hamilton and his sister. She bowed to them with a smile so subtle and comprehensive that each was certain that it was his specially.

"Did you notice how she smiled at me?" said Grant, posing himself gracefully.

"I thought it was at me," answered Edward sulkily.

"No; it was at me. I shall go and speak to her when we turn back."

"Madge divined this, and she sent her brother away with a message to pretty Maud Gaylor. So Grant had the ground to himself, and very safe ground he felt it to be."

Then Edgar made his effort, and was equally satisfied. There was something about Madge's manner to him delightfully shy and yet encouraging. For the first time in twenty years he kept his opinions to himself. "Grant," he mentally commented, "is terribly conceited, and may have deceived himself. If I am not a favored lover, I think Madge Hamilton is treating me badly."

And so thinking of Madge as likely to become his own, he began to feel the outrage of such a bargain as he had entered into. He could hardly bear to look into the young, candid face and think of his shameful little plot against this girl's money.

When Grant and he again talked over the matter, he ventured to suggest that they should each consider the bargain as to Miss Hamilton void, and leave themselves unfettered in the race. But Grant would hear of no such withdrawal. "The race," he said, "rests upon you and me, Edgar. I am sure of it. Marriage will break up your friendship; it can't help it, old boy; and whichever of us is left will need solid consolation. If you succeed, you will have to cut me in a short time, and the money will give me a new start in a new life. If I succeed, all the same we shall drift apart; and it would be a real comfort to me, in such case, to feel that at least I had been able to put you easy in money matters."

And Grant's manner was so grand and pathetic that Sterling felt it impossible to urge further a subject which Grant spoke of as "any way a great trial, and almost like the burial of a twenty years' friendship."

The next morning, in answer to Madge's request, Maud Gaylor came to spend the day with the Hamiltons. Madge had chosen Maud for a confidant, and for excellent reasons. Maud had a very large visiting list, she was dangerously sarcastic, and never spared friend or acquaintance for a witticism. A report finding its medium through Maud would go into the world with a spice of ludicrous bitterness that no one else could give it. And also it would go in a dangerous kind of incognito, and would only become more widely known in consequence of the unobtrusiveness of its progress.

So about eleven o'clock Maud came chirping in, full of news as to the people she had met, and the engagement of "that poor little mouse, Jennie Billings, to Jacob Cutting. He'll eat her up in a year, Madge," she said, with a laughable grimace; "that is, he'll eat her bonds up. Oh dear! how

hard it is for a girl with money to be decently loved?"

"This was just the opening Madge wanted. 'She was so wretched, and needed some one to open her poor heart to,' and Maud was at once sympathetic and delightfully anxious. What a study her queer little face was, with its twinkling eyes and light-drawn lips, as she listened to Madge's story! And what a revelation of womanly temper there was in the small nervous hands, and the restless movements of her prettily bowed and sandaled feet! Now, Maud, I have told you all. If you were I, what would you do?"

"I should crucify them—socially, I mean; fix them up with hair-pins, as it were. Put the story into their cups, dear—tea-cups and wine cups. It will make their drinking disagreeable enough. I'll warrant you. There are hundreds of young men just as mean and heartless and contemptible, dear; and every one of them will be 'dreadfully shocked' at the found-out fellows."

Madge had asked the two racing cyclists to call; and it had been agreed between them that Edgar should leave first, and that, all else being favorable, Grant should put his fortune to the test. They were annoyed at finding Maud sitting with Madge, but it was probable that Maud would leave after lunch.

Somehow Edgar Sterling imagined Madge's manner so peculiarly kind to himself, that he—finding a moment's opportunity to speak to her unnoticed—asked for an interview that night at eight, and received a gracious assent. Then, according to agreement, he went away before Grant Digby; and Maud, guessing what Grant had come for, left the room "to send a message," and so gave the young gentleman the opportunity he sought.

Madge heard his poetic, passionate confession with a good deal of assumed feeling, but declared she could not at once answer so important a question.

"Would Mr. Digby call the following day at twelve o'clock?"

And as Maud entered just at that moment, and there was a most aggravating mocking smile on her face, Grant hurriedly took his leave, with all his hopes as yet uncertain.

He put on a brave face, however, to Sterling. But Sterling's hopes rose on Grant's delay. He thought it likely that Madge had purposely put off answering Grant until she heard what his reasons were for desiring an interview. She must have suspected them, and if this was the case it was indeed a strong foundation for his hopes. So he heard Grant's account of his interview, but said nothing of his own appointment.

At eight o'clock he kept it, and found Madge just ready to leave the house. "She was going to a dinner party, but would be happy to give Mr. Sterling a few minutes." He was glad the agony was to be short. He said in a few plain words what he wanted to say, and said them in such a straightforward, honest manner, that Madge was almost sorry she could not believe a word of them. She pointed out the fact that her friends were waiting, the necessity of being careful in such decisions, and asked him to call for an answer next day at half-past twelve.

"Half-past twelve," thought Sterling; "Grant's appointment was twelve; evidently she means to refuse him;" and his own hopes rose still higher. That night Grant noticed that he seemed strangely averse to talk. He did not know that Sterling was arranging his prospective new life, and absolutely considering how he was to escape paying such a shameful "debt of honor" as would soon be due his friend from him.

True, he did not indulge the thought many minutes at a time, but it was there, just as it had been also in Grant's heart, in the same kind of dim, dumb way. Only Grant had at once solved the problem in a manner Sterling never thought of: "I shall lay the blame on Madge, and tell Edgar she watches her gold like a dragon."

A little before twelve the next day Grant went to his appointment, and his friend almost immediately followed him. He did not expect, of course, to meet Grant there; he would have got his dismissal and left. However, not only was Grant in the parlor, but also that tormenting Maud Gaylor. The two gentlemen looked at each other, but there was nothing now to be done but accept Madge's invitation to lunch, and wait for their opportunity.

Maud seemed that day to be possessed by a thousand malicious little sprites, and under her sharp, subtle innuendoes. Her mirth, though mocking, was infectious, and by the time lunch was over, the whole party were in a mood of very unnatural and rather unpleasant exaltation. Madge showed it in her glowing cheeks, and in a certain set, proud manner. The company having entered the parlor after lunch, Madge brought out a card table and laid upon it a pack of playing cards and a cribbage board.

"What are you going to do, Madge?" said Maud, her eyes filled with curiosity.

"I am going to play you a game of cribbage for a husband. If I win I shall accept one of these gentlemen, and you must take the other. Shall I shuffle?"

"I protest," said Sterling, "against such a mockery of the most solemn affair of life."

"Just hear him!" screamed Maud, laughing still more excitedly. "Pray, Mr. Sterling, did you ever hear of two gentlemen riding a race for a lady's hand and fortune?"

"And agreeing to console each other with twenty-five thousand of the bank account?"

"Young ladies," said Mr. Sterling, "if any men have done what you say, they richly deserve your mockery; they must have been conceited fools to enter into such a plot."

"Gentlemen, I hope you will let the world know what you are racing for in the future, and if perchance a lady's hand and fortune is at stake, I trust she will be consulted in the matter, for it may be then, as it is now, that the prize goes to neither."

And Madge ceremoniously bowed them into the hall, from whence they soon found their way into the street.

"Where are you going?" said Sterling, fiercely.

"I am going to New York at once."

"You can go Timbuctoo if you like; I

shall stay here; and I shall like to see the man, or the woman either, who will twit me about Hamilton's sister."

"A very rude, insolent girl, I think."

"She is nothing of the kind. She is a noble girl,—a sight too good, if she had not a penny, for such sneak thieves as you and me. There, Grant, keep out of my sight. We may as well part here as anywhere." And Sterling strode off in a towering passion with himself, and looked so formidable and black for weeks afterward that no one cared to speak of "that good thing about Hamilton's sister" in any place where he would be likely to hear of it.

Madge never saw him, and rarely heard of him. Indeed, he gave himself up, with all the passion of his nature, to money-making. On the whole, her revenge had not given her any pleasure; she found out, when anger was over, and love could obtain a hearing, that she had really liked Edgar, and her heart began sadly to make excuses for him.

One day, three years after their unpleasant parting, her brother said to her, "Madge, you were very nearly losing \$100,000,—would have done so but for—Edgar Sterling."

Madge blushed vividly, and looked up eagerly at her brother.

"That's so," said Jack; "he knows everything about stocks and shares that can be known, and he brought me information which saved you a clear \$100,000. I must say he spoke in a very manly, honest manner."

"Of the past?"

"Yes. He out with everything, and asked my pardon; said he could not do it for very shame until he had been able to prove his regret. He had been watching your interests, and hoped you would look over his fault."

"I should suppose a good action ought to cancel a bad one."

"I think so, Madge, especially when a fellow makes no excuses, but frankly admits he was to blame, and does his best to show his sorrow. I cannot see my way to write him down an enemy any longer; can you, Madge?"

And Madge, in a very soft, irresolute fashion, said simply "No."

Six months afterward the president of a famous-town bank sent hurriedly over to Sterling's office. He wanted to see him at once on important business.

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"He was married yesterday."

"Married! I thought he hated women."

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Church of Our Lady Help of Christians (Roman Catholic), Washington st.; Rev. M. Dolan, pastor. Masses 8.30 and 10.30; vespers at 3. Sunday-school at 9.15.

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Baptist church, cor. Washington and Perkins sts. Rev. O. D. Kimball, pastor. Preaching at 10.45 and 7. Sunday school at 12.10. Services Tuesday and Friday at 7.30.

Myrtle Baptist church, Auburn st., near Prospect. Rev. Jacob Burrell, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday-school at 12.45.

First Unitarian church, Washington st., near Highland. Rev. J. C. Jaynes, pastor. Services at 10.45.

AUBURNDALE.

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Centenary Methodist church, Central st.; Rev. E. R. Watson, pastor. Services at 10.45 and 7.45. Sunday-school at 12. Young people's meeting at 7.45. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.45.

Church of the Messiah (Episcopal), Auburn st.; Rev. A. Metcalf, rector. Sunday-school, 9; Holy Communion, 9.45 (except on first Sunday in month when at 12); Morning prayer and sermon, 10.45; evening prayer, 6.

NEWTON CENTER.

First Congregational church, Center st.; Rev. T. J. Holmes, pastor. Services at 10.30 and 7.30.

First Baptist church, Center street. Services at 10.30 and 7. Sunday school at 3.

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A PRACTICAL QUESTION.

IS THERE A DECAY OF MORAL TONE AMONG THE YOUNG?

BY JOHN C. PARK.

The aim and object of this paper is not speculation, but a desire to reach some practical conclusion, which may aid in the improvement and well being of society, and facilitate its progress toward a higher plan of civilization. Progress, that which constitutes the greatest happiness of man in this life, and it is believed, will be so in the life to come.

It is not proposed to discuss the condition of the young in our rural districts, in farming towns, remote from city influences and temptations. For the present purpose let it be taken for granted (whether true or no), that in their absence from the detrimental allurements of the City, or the more vigilant and constant parental oversight, yet maintained in the farm house with its Christian surroundings, these and other influences render the general condition of things comparatively satisfactory. Let us then turn our attention to our cities, and particularly to our commercial and manufacturing centres.

We, the residents in a city somewhat peculiar in its moral atmosphere, can hardly realize the terrible state of affairs which exists in the Metropolis, and in a lesser degree in some other cities. We are, each of us, so happy in our homes, so domestic in our tastes, that even sociality with our neighbors is not very prevalent; and therefore we cannot appreciate the heart ache, which our Judges must feel at every monthly exhibition in the Suffolk Superior Court Room on arraignment day. From sixty to one hundred persons charged with flagrant crimes, are before this court monthly. None of these are under seventeen years of age, for so numerous had become the persons whose conduct had rendered amenable to the laws, that an inferior tribunal has been established to take cognizance of such offenders, if under seventeen. About all of these sixty to one hundred crowded in the "dock" are between seventeen and thirty years of age.

Walk the streets of the Metropolis between eight and twelve at night, and listen to the profanity and obscenity, and see the reckless, insolent and vicious displays, which make many of the thorough-fares dangerous, and many others painful; aye shocking, as profanity is flaunted in the passer's face, and you will be ready to exclaim as one of our Judges lately did, "Why does it not rain fire?"

We, in our well-ordered family circles, can hardly give evidence to the statement of such a state of things, and it is feared, when conviction of the truth of the picture is forced upon us, do not pause to consider what is our individual duty. Are we our brothers' keepers?

A skilful physician called to a patient, finds a rapid pulse, or one difficult to be discovered; a flushed cheek, or a wan and ghastly one; a wild eye or a drooping lustreless one; an abnormal state of things. If he be skilful, does he not first endeavor to ascertain what violation of correct living has led to this exhibition, in order that he may form some opinion of the bad influence which he must combat and control, before he adopts a course of treatment or prescribes a remedy?

Before, therefore, we venture upon the second branch of our theme, "what is the remedy?" let us glance rapidly at some of the causes which have led to this lamentable social state.

First. The crowded population among the laboring classes. It is one of the curses of poverty, however anxious the heads of the family may be to maintain a healthy domestic moral atmosphere, that it is necessarily thrown into contact with the idle, the profligate and the vicious. The tenements of the laborers are necessarily crowded around the factories, foundries and machine shops of our large corporations, the wharves and sewing lofts, and similar places where aggregated labor is in the employ of capital. Tenement houses, from their necessary construction, admit of no family isolation. The independent pride, which the laboring man, half a century ago, felt in his home, (Home, that little word so suggestive of happiness and comfort), has all been swallowed up in the maelstrom of the tenement house. And it is a sad truth that the more prosperous and thriving the Corporate Institution becomes, and the more hands it employs, and the more mouths it feeds, the greater is the evil.

Second. Growing out of this last is the lamentable want of direct contact and sympathy between the employer and employee, arising from this employment by corporations, and not by individuals. It is a trite saying that "corporations have no souls." If the truth of this saying is apparent anywhere, is it not in this separation of the employee from the person for whom his industry is useful? The writer does not hesitate to express his conviction, at the risk of being stigmatized as a dissenter from some of the positions assumed in Mr. Sumner's "Barbarism of Slavery" that the Patriarchal interest, which existed between the master and the slave, (exceptions there were, no doubt,) was often preferable to the cold uninterested act, with which the Corporation Cashier pays the weekly stipend, faithfully, promptly, fully no doubt, but without a thought of the domestic happiness or misery of the recipient.

Third. The daily absence of one or both of the heads of the family from their homes. In some of the Swiss Cantons, where a large part of the population obtain a livelihood by wood-carving and toy-making, where the knife and the small chisel are put into the children's hands as soon as they can grasp these simple instruments,

the whole family, from the silver-headed grand-father to the child, are busied in the home with this scarcely remunerative industry, one only being sent on a monthly journey to carry their carvings to a market. Travelers of observation inform us, that in such places the morality of the people is unsurpassed.

In the old time New England farm house, where the head of the house sallied out into the fields, at dawn of day, accompanied by his stalwart boys, and the thrifty dame at home from morn till night, was active herself, and both by example and lessons of experience was fitting her girls to be good housewives. How seldom did the seductive serpent glide into such gardens. Do not the cultivated and wealthy inhabitants of our suburban residences, absorbed as the owners are in the daily struggles and competitions of the city, often feel that they are sadly neglectful of one of God's best gifts to men, their children; and perhaps discover that they are better acquainted with the dispositions, qualities, and hearts of their paid counting-room clerks, than they are with those of the members of their own household.

If this is so with them, how is it with the laboring classes in our cities? Many are the hours during which the children, left in unattractive, often desolate apartments, certainly not *Homes*, are roaming the alleys and bylanes, where dissolute companions, foul language, and every lure to evil beset and entangle them. Little Arabs, marauders, vagabonds, thieves, malefactors, the progress downwards is as rapid as it is certain. What if to this want of parental oversight is added parental bad example?

In this connection, it must be observed that the total abandonment of the old system of apprenticeship has been a detriment. The master mechanic then took the apprentice as an inmate of his own family, and every hour he was under a restraining surveillance. "Young America," as it has been called, has been an unfortunate institution. The self-assertion of minors, their impatience of parental restraint, the disrespectful epithets applied to, and insolent deportment exhibited towards parents grows every day more apparent. Edward Everett once said truthfully, "We speak of the Golden Age, the Silver Age, and the Iron Age, but when Posterity gives ours a name, it will be the age of Irreverence."

Fourth. The laxity which prevails and is daily increasing in the respectful observance of the Sunday, leaving out of our consideration, at present, the religious observance of the day. Though here, in passing, one fact is worthy of note. Persons interested in the matter have lately taken steps to ascertain the aggregate number of all of the seats in all the churches, chapels, halls and other places wherein public worship is ever held in Boston, and then allowing a deduction of a liberal number from the population of the city, for those too aged, or infirm, or too young, to attend on public worship, then if at any hour all these seats were completely filled, still more than thirty thousand would remain for whom there was no provision.

On this point of a misused Sunday, the influence of our foreign element comes in with a most deleterious effect, whether that influx is from a nation which regards Sunday as the most proper day for a very exciting political election, or from one which, after the morning Mass is celebrated, permits the rest of the day to be devoted to frivolous amusements or social conviviality and recreation (not recreation as it should be), but recreation; each and all of these imported ingredients are infusing drops of hemlock juice into the wholesome draughts which our ancestors drank on the weekly day of Holy Rest.

Fifth. Passing over the sensational novel, the libidinous dime publications, meretricious ballet, and the spirit of gambling, commencing in the bag of marbles won at the taw-ring, and culminating at the roulette table, and the perjuries of the whiskey-ring; the writer refers last to the one which overshadows the whole, the use of stimulants.

No one whose position in life enables him to observe can deny that nineteen out of every twenty of those who fill our prisons, reformatories, jails, penitentiaries and almshouses, have been brought there directly or indirectly by the use of stimulants. Our Boards of Health by a summary process, from which there is no appeal, can order a dwelling house to be closed up, if, in the opinion of the Board, want of sufficient drainage or any other cause, may (not does, but may,) render it a source of disease to the body; yet places unquestionably productive of moral death to the souls of multitudes cannot be so closed, but are legally licensed to be kept open.

The writer has not used the delicate pencil of the artist, who is finishing a cabinet picture; he has been using the scene-painter's heavier brush, and as in the late Franco-Prussian War, an officer was at times elevated in a balloon, who observed and mapped out the enemy's works, so he has endeavored rapidly to jot down some of the fortifications, redoubts, batteries, hidden torpedoes, and fully charged mines with which the powers of evil are daily attacking the society in which we live. They are formidable. Are they impregnable?

On the other side stands Christianity, which alone can conquer. For by Christianity is not meant solely the visible Church, with its ordinances, and its Sunday Schools, but under that name are included all the offshoots which have been springing from Christianity for two thousand years; the Young Men's Associations and Unions, the Missions to the Destitute, the Farm schools, the Homes for little wanderers, the Children's Mission to the children of the destitute, the Masonic Lodge, the Reform Clubs, the Provident Institutions, the Savings Banks, the Lecture Platform, the Sanitary tracts, these and a thousand similar agencies and organizations all derive their life blood from the principles of Christianity, though they may not give credit where it is due.

But the writer ventures to ask most deferentially, are there not seeds of mischief in the existence of these various organiza-

tions, in that they have tended to lessen the sense of individual responsibility? For example, I turn away a suppliant, who may be destitute and very meritorious, and say "Go to the Chardon street Board of Charities, or the City Almoner, they will examine your case, and if it be meritorious, help you." Or again, the wealthy resident in a splendid mansion at the West End, touched with a sudden conviction of neglected duty, joins some benevolent society, subscribes liberally, is registered as a Life Member, but never sees the person or family aided by her society's salaried agent.

Granting then that the proposition of modern philanthropy is true, that advanced civilization means increased dependence of human beings on one another, dominated by the principles of truth and justice, is there not a need that each should be awakened to a more full realization of his individual responsibility. The field of Gettysburg might have been a defeat notwithstanding its vast army corps, flaunting banners and skilful generals, if each private soldier had not levelled his musket with a true aim, and grasped his bayonet with a practiced hand. The walls of Jericho might have stood firm, if any single Israelite had not added his voice to swell the one great shout.

There is need of an awakening to a sense of individual responsibility, a revival of individual activity. Such an awakening is conspicuous among the members of the Episcopal Church in Boston. It is hoped that they constitute the advance guard in the Christian Army.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mrs. Dr. Charles H. Coker is at the "United States," Saratoga.

—Rev. Mr. Gross of New York will preach at the Baptist Church on Sunday.

—There was a heavy white frost on Tuesday morning.

—The Rev. F. B. Hornbrooke of Newton will preach in the Unitarian Church next Sunday.

—The 25th anniversary of the wedding of Rev. T. J. and Mrs. Holmes will occur to-morrow (Saturday).

—Mr. and Mrs. Franklin N. Thatcher and family, Beacon street, intend to reside in Boston during the winter.

—Mrs. Howard, Centre street, artist, has taken a studio in Boston, and will locate with her family in that city.

—The Newton and Watertown Gas Co. are laying their pipes on Lyman street, to supply Mr. Horace Cousens' house, recently leased to Rev. M. R. Deming.

—Hon. and Mrs. Leverett Saltonstall, Miss Lee and Miss Lowell have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellerton L. Dorr at Buzzard's Bay.

—Mr. W. D. Philbrick, Jackson street, is afflicted by the insanity of his son John, who has been removed to the McLean Asylum, Somerville, for medical treatment.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Butler and family, who have had their summer home here for five or six years, return after the equinox to the city.

—The foliage begins to show its intentions of ceasing "the wearing of the green."

—Why dost thou rob some Prince of Tyre, And dress thyself in purple fire?

—Mr. A. H. Eames, Centre street, who occupies one half of his double house built this summer, has rented the other half to Mr. Glover of Boston, an employee of the Boston & Albany Railroad.

—The residence of the late Mr. Joshua F. Lamson, on Centre street, which was sold last spring to Boston parties, is receiving a fresh coat of paint, and being put in order for occupancy.

—Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Nickerson, Institution avenue, have gone with a party of Newton friends on a ten days coaching tour through central Massachusetts, to the Connecticut River.

—The Village Improvement Society has "chipped in," and is to give us the handsome drinking fountain in Newton. It is to take the place of the old one on the corner of Centre and Beacon streets, and will be a great improvement.

—Mr. and Mrs. Crowell and family, who have resided during the summer on Lake avenue, at Mr. W. B. Young's house, will return in a few days to their city home, at Hotel Huntington, Huntington avenue, Boston.

—Remember that Mr. Edward F. Cushman, Parker street, whose large fancy goods and millinery establishment is on Temple place, Boston, gives five per cent. of all profits from Newton Centre trade to the improvement society.

—Farmers from Dover report that on account of the drought of 14 months in Texas, several car-loads of young mustangs have been sent through by rail for pasture in that vicinity, and to be trained and brought into the Boston market.

—Rev. Dr. Judson's closing services on Sunday were attended by hearers from all parts of Newton, Brookline and vicinity. The meeting house was packed morning and evening. At the latter service the ordinance of baptism was administered.

—Deacon Thomas Griggs of Brookline, its oldest resident, died at his homestead on Monday. He commanded a company stationed at Fort Independence in the war of 1812; and in 1817, there being no Baptist church nearer, he united with the church in this village. He has been active about his farm until within a few days.

—Mr. Edward R. Benton, Station street, architect with the late H. H. Richardson of Brookline, who has been in St. Louis for several months, superintending the erection of several large buildings of Mr. Richardson's designing, arrived at his home on Sunday evening, via steamship from Baltimore.

—The autumnal equinox occurred this year on the evening of Wednesday, the 22d. On that day the sun rose at thirteen minutes of six, a. m., and set at two minutes of six, p. m., so that the day and night were not exactly of a length, but the former had ten minutes more than the latter.

—O. W. Knapp has purchased a lot of Ward's high land on Warren street, with intention of building thereon a house and stable for his own occupancy. To those in search of a location, retired but not remote, this neighborhood affords a present opportunity that may not long continue, of buying high land at a low price.

—That part of the Hon. Marshall S. Rice's farm, known as the Meadow, on Centre street, between Dr. S. F. Smith's and the First Church, has recently come into the market; also the meadow on Homer street, belonging to the estate of the late Mr. George C. Rand. These meadows have been used for pasture for generations. Laundry Brook flows through these fields, and as they lie with verdure clad,

and fine Jersey cattle feeding, they form one of the principal attractions of the neighborhood. Long may this bit of rural scenery be preserved.

—The responsibility for not having a barge from the Centre for the High School scholars rests with Mr. Philbrick of the school board, who told Mayor Kimball that it was not needed, and refused to join with him in recommending the use of one. Mayor Kimball has been blamed in the matter, although he tried in vain to have Mr. Philbrick take some action.

—Mr. Avery L. Rand has leased his homestead to Boston parties, and will give possession in October. The large new house built by S. D. Garey, on the Centre street front of the grounds, north of the Lamson house, will be occupied by Mr. Rand. It is a model of comfort and convenience, has the living rooms on the sunny side, is admirably adapted for the practical uses of a large family. The exterior has a simple colonial effect, with large chimneys. The house was designed by the owners.

Meeting of the Village Hall Association.

On Saturday evening, in response to a public call, a company of about thirty persons assembled in the Baptist Church, to consider the subject of purchasing that edifice, when it is to be removed to give place to the proposed stone structure.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. D. B. Claffin. Mr. Avery L. Rand was chosen chairman, and Mr. Augustine C. Ferry secretary. A report of the present state of the association was given by Mr. Ernest Porter. Two hundred and four shares have been subscribed for at \$25 each. Mr. Wm. B. Young reported on the probable cost of land, foundation, moving the building, etc.

The following committee was appointed to consider and report upon a form of permanent organization, name, by-laws, etc.: Messrs. J. R. Leeson, Rev. Dr. Lincoln, Alderman E. H. Mason, Samuel Ward, and Mr. Wheelock.

The following gentlemen were appointed a committee to open negotiations with the Baptist Society, to consider location, get estimates of cost, etc.: Messrs. Charles S. Davis, E. T. Colburn, Ernest Porter, H. H. Reed, Frank Edmands, E. H. Mason.

A vote was taken to the effect that "it is the sense of this meeting that it is desirable to purchase this building for a public hall."

An informal discussion followed on the subject of location, several points being proposed—the rear of the Dr. Ripley lot; the Trowbridge lot on Centre street, near Pelham street; the lot below Dr. S. F. Smith's house, corner of Centre street and Sudbury terrace. Suggestions were also made that stores might be put under the hall, that the association might maintain a reading room and gymnasium, etc. The discussion was carried on by Messrs. Leeson, Porter, Claffin, Kingsbury, Lincoln, W. B. Young, Gilbert and others.

Meeting of the School Committee.

At the regular meeting of the School Committee, Wednesday evening, Mayor Kimball presided. Other members present were Messrs. Ames, Barton, Dickinson, Gould, Philbrick, Putney, Walton, Weed, Smith, and Miss Smead. The following business was transacted:

Capt. Frank V. Brown was elected instructor in military drill for the school year of 1886-87. The consideration of the report of the High School Committee, recommending that drill be made optional in the first class, and in the lower classes only those physically able to do so be allowed to drill, was postponed until the next meeting on account of the large number absent. Mr. Barton gave notice that he should present a minority report. The advisability of an extra teacher in the High School was considered. It was voted that there be another teacher of sewing, but no nominations were made. The following appropriations were recommended to the City Council: General—Salaries of teachers, superintendents, janitors, etc., \$101,000; School Incidentals—Fuel, \$8,000; furniture, etc., \$6,000; total, \$115,000. Evening schools, \$750; conveyance of pupils, \$750. Total, \$116,500.

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List of New Books.

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NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mrs. J. A. Gould, Jr., is visiting friends in Gardner, Mass.

—Mrs. W. T. Langdon of Springfield is stopping for a few days in the village.

—The long needed repairs upon the sheds in the yard of the Methodist church have been commenced.

—Quite a number of members of Home Lodge of Odd Fellows participated in the parade in Boston, on Wednesday of this week.

—On Monday of this week, Mayor Whipple and the city government of Brockton paid a visit to our famous Echo Bridge, while guests of the city of Newton.

—The fire alarm bell was on a "strike" last Sunday night, without any apparent object in view, disturbing the slumber of people in the immediate vicinity. The trouble was caused by the fire alarm being out of order.

—It is stated on good authority that the Boston & Albany Railroad will commence the erection of the new station of Elliot as soon as the new street leading to it is accepted as a public highway by the city.

—Mrs. Abbott, of whom we spoke last week, is still in a very critical condition. The anxiety of friends, although somewhat relieved, is still great. At the present time of writing she is suffering more from the severe shock sustained than from the burns received.

—Jack Frost has commenced his annual artistic work with his characteristic promptness, and our hills and valleys, of which Nature has kindly furnished us so many, will soon be rendered still more beautiful by the strokes of his master hand.

—A large number of our village people went to Dedham on Tuesday last, to help the people of that justly famous old town celebrate the 250th anniversary of its birth. Spear's barge ran during the day and evening for the accommodation of those desiring to attend the festivities.

—On Monday next the Methodist ministers of Boston and vicinity will hold their regular Monday meeting in the Methodist church in this village. This is out of the accustomed order of things, but is rendered necessary as the rooms where their regular weekly meetings are held are undergoing extensive repairs. About 100 are expected to be present.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mr. E. S. Tarbell has rented the Knight house.

—Officer Moulton is on his vacation; Officer Fuller is on duty during his absence.

—At a meeting of St. Paul's parish the resignation of its rector, Rev. Dean Richmond Babbitt, was acted upon and accepted.

—Rev. M. C. Winslow of Boston, well known in connection with the explorations in Egypt, will officiate at St. Paul's Church next Sunday.

—On Sunday morning last, the Rev. Mr. Lamb of North Village preached at the Congregational Church; in the evening the pulpit was occupied by Rev. Mr. Phillips of Conn., (brother of the pastor).

—If the city would employ an architect when any addition or improvements are to be made upon the public buildings, there might be no such hen house appearance as the windows make, that have been placed in the upper story of the Hyde School House.

—The Railroad Commissioners should compel the management of the Boston & Albany Railroad Company to rectify two things. 1st. To advertise in their newspaper time table the inward bound trains. 2nd. To stop the practice of running their short routes with engines reversed, there being more peril by being thrown from the track, in fact it should be condemned by all railroads.

—The need of a public hall in this place is much felt at this season of the year, since the school house hall has been used by the demand for increased school facilities, so that an entertainment for the benefit of the Village Clock is to be given in Mason School House Hall, Newton Centre, on Wednesday evening next, 29th inst. See advertisement in another column.

The Excursion to Concord.

If the weather permits, the Newton Natural History Society proposes an excursion to Concord to-morrow (Saturday), which the public are cordially invited to join.

Leaving Watertown Saturday morning at 9.02 or 10.58 a. m., as most convenient to different members of the party, proceed by rail to Waltham, and thence by the main line of the Fitchburg R. R. to Concord, reaching there at 9.58, or 12.01.

For those desiring it, there will be conveyances to the battle ground and other places; but resting places will be found, so distributed that others may prefer to walk.

Residents of West Newton and Auburndale can join the Newton party at Waltham by consulting the time-table of the West Newton and Waltham horse cars. Lunch baskets, overshoes and wraps should be taken. Papers or addresses at Concord may be expected on the Concord fight, Concord celebrities, and the natural history of the region. If the weather is unsuitable, the excursion will be postponed for one week.

Furs.

Now is the time to give your orders for furs for the coming winter. Joseph A. Jackson, of 412 Washington street, Boston, has a large stock of new furs now open, and also some especially choice seal-skins. Prospective buyers should give him an early call, in order to be sure of a fine assortment to select from. Those who wish their seal-skins repaired or re-dyed should give their orders without delay. Mr. Jackson is one of the oldest and most experienced furriers in Boston, and many people consider no furs the correct thing unless they come from Jackson's.

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The City Government.

The board of aldermen met on Monday evening with every member present, and the first business was the hearing on the street railway, which had drawn out a large crowd of people. A report of the hearing is given on the second page, and it lasted until 10.30, when it was adjourned to a special meeting next Monday evening, to accommodate Mr. Morse, who is going on a long western tour the latter part of next week.

The following ward officers were appointed for the coming election:—

Ward 1—R. Orlando Evans, Warden, R.; Henry J. Wood, Deputy Warden, R.; Geo. R. Aston, Deputy Clerk, D.; Seth C. Stevens, Clerk, D.; Fred H. Stone, Inspector, R.; Albert P. Bugbee, Deputy Inspector, R.; Michael Hurley, Inspector, D.; Chas. H. Stuart, Deputy Inspector, D.

Ward 2—H. P. Dearborn, W. D.; John F. Payne, Dep. W. D.; A. S. Higgins, Clerk, R.; A. B. Tainter, Dep. Clerk, R.; L. H. Cranitch, Ins., D.; J. H. Williams, Dep. Ins., D.; J. D. Billings, Ins., R.; J. C. Whitney, Dep. Ins., R.

Ward 3—H. C. Wood, W. R.; F. E. Hunter, Dep. W. R.; E. S. Merchant, Clerk, D.; F. T. Cox, Dep. Clerk, D.; A. R. Coe, Ins., R.; E. L. Lemon, Dep. Ins., R.; Chas. F. Tuttle, Ins., D.; F. H. Humphrey, Dep. Ins., D.

Ward 4—G. E. Johnson, W. D.; B. Early, Dep. W. D.; H. H. Martin, Clerk, R.; G. Lyman Snow, Dep. Clerk, R.; Remy Washburn, Ins., D.; W. A. Leonard, Dep. Ins., D.; W. W. Chamberlain, Ins., R.; B. B. Clark, Dep. Ins., R.

Ward 5—A. J. Glover, W. R.; J. W. Howe, Dep. W. R.; Chas. H. Hale, Clerk, D.; G. H. Osborne, Dep. Clerk, D.; T. T. Logan, Ins., R.; J. P. Tenney, Dep. Ins., R.; P. T. Begley, Ins., D.; A. Tyler, Dep. Ins., D.

Ward 6—S. M. Jackson, W. D.; W. F. Woodman, Dep. W. D.; R. R. Bishop, Jr., Clerk, R.; S. B. Lett, Dep. Clerk, R.; Geo. S. Woodbridge, Ins., R.; B. S. Wetherbee, Dep. Ins., R.; G. W. Lamson, Ins., D.; L. H. Farlow, Dep. Ins., D.

The committee appointed to fill the vacancy caused on the board of Overseers of the Poor by the death of Dexter Whipple reported, recommending Mr. E. O. Childs for the position.

Mayor Kimball stated that he and Mr. Fisher Ames, chairman of the school board, had held many meetings with regard to lower fares and better accommodations for High School pupils on the Circuit road, and had addressed a joint letter to the board of directors, which would be considered at the meeting this week, and they would probably answer in writing. Meanwhile, the city had failed to appropriate money to pay half the expense of transporting the High School scholars from the Upper Falls to the school on account of expectations from the Circuit road, and he had taken the responsibility of promising to pay the barge \$40 a month for its services, and it was now running, and he would see that it was paid, if the city did not appropriate the money. As for the barge from the Centre, he had tried in vain to have Mr. Philbrick of Ward 6, and of the school board, take some action in the matter of recommending the putting on of a barge, but Mr. Philbrick had refused to consider the subject, and had said that a barge was not needed. The mayor thought that the city had better make some appropriation for the conveyance of the pupils to the High School.

Business from the common council was disposed of in concurrence.

Chief Bixby called the attention of the board to the imperative necessity for the immediate enactment of an ordinance governing the erection and maintenance of all telegraph, telephone and electric light lines within the city limits.

S. S. Hollins and others petitioned for sidewalks adjoining their premises on Otis street.

C. F. Eddy asked for the laying out and acceptance of Eddy street in Ward 2.

William Pierce et al asked for the laying out and acceptance of the street from Boylston street to Elliot station, Ward 5.

Sarah E. Allen and Ellen Valentine gave notice to prevent encroachment to land on southerly side of Highland avenue, Newtonville.

Building permits were granted to C. F. Eddy, to build a tenement house on Parsons street, Ward 2; J. C. Farrar, to erect addition to harness shop on Station street, Ward 6; Nonantum Worsted Co., to alter brick building on Chapel street, Ward 2, for dye house; same, to erect a bleaching house, 35 x 17, of wood, on Chapel street; M. P. Hilton, to erect a stable on Newtonville avenue, Ward 2; C. M. Stuart, to erect stable on Ripley street, Ward 6; Moses G. Crane, to move building across Walnut street to Lake avenue, Ward 5; John Beal, to erect a wooden building for stores and tenements on Washington street, Ward 2; Willard Macy, to erect stable on Chestnut street, Ward 5; Wm. Pettigrew, to erect house for C. M. Burrage on Hammond street, Ward 6; same, to erect house on private way off Maple street, Ward 4; Chas. F. Rand, to erect tin shop in rear of P. O. Block, Ward 7; same, two houses on Richardson street; John Stubbs, to erect house on Homer street, Ward 6; W. H. McIntosh, to move a building from Beacon street to Needham line on Elliot street.

The committee on highways reported inexpedient to change name of Bennington street to Idemont avenue, as asked by J. B. Gould et al. Reported in favor of granting petition for crosswalks on Station street; sidewalks on Nonantum street, Court street, Hancock street, Park street corner of Elmwood, Forest street, Park street in front of B. S. Luther's property, and Bennington street; against raising sidewalk from Highland avenue to T. H. Carter's house; in favor of laying out, grading and accepting Emerson street; in favor of new street from Boylston street to Elliot station; in favor of grading and accepting extension of Arlington street to Brighton street, and grading and accepting Marlboro street.

Orders were passed granting a hearing on petition of Newton Electric Light Co., to erect poles on certain streets, on September 27, at 7 p. m.; authorizing the Mayor to sign the deed for certain land on Cook street, to be sold under direction of highway committee; appropriating \$125 for conveyance of pupils from Wards 5 and 6 to the High School, from September 13 to November 1; appropriating \$285 for exchange of horse in the highway department; \$300 for trimming trees; adding \$700 to the appropriation for Armory expenses; adding \$6,000 to appropriation for miscellaneous expenses; appropriating \$18,900 for city expenses in October.

Orders were passed for the laying out, grading and acceptance of extension of Arlington street, Marlboro street and the new street from Boylston street to Elliot station.

An Attractive Book.

One of the handsomest little volumes we have seen this season is from the enterprising manufacturers of the "Hub Stores and Furnaces." It is entitled "Our Homes: How to Heat and Ventilate them." It contains 96 pages of interesting information, besides illustrations of some of the finest residences in the country. It is a complete manual on the subject of Sanitary Heating and Ventilating, and it also shows specimens of the latest work of some of our prominent architects. We advise such of our readers as have houses to heat and ventilate to possess one of these books. It will be sent free to anyone on receipt of six cents in stamps. Address the Smith & Anthony Stove Co., 52 and 54 Union street, Boston, Mass.

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